

Uprooted trees in the vicinity of the Harris Howard residence, near the mouth of Abbott Creek, attest to the violence of Monday night's storm.



This six-room home occupied by Thomas Branham and family at the top of the Town Branch hill, near here, is considered a total loss from wind and rain.

## Grand Jury Quiz In 2 Deaths Seen

### Judge Conley Says Pollution Must Be Halted

The grand jury of six men and six women which was empaneled Monday morning will have two deaths to investigate and a decision to make on both if murder indictments are to be returned.

This work remains, despite the fact that a special grand jury last month voted two murder indictments each against Eddie Jones and John Martin in the slayings of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence Conley at Garrett and James Clayton Conley, near Wayland, and voted other indictments, lightening the workload for the current panel.

The jury during its current session, will investigate the death of Claude Hamilton, whose neck was allegedly broken by a blow dealt by Richard Tackett, late last year. Hamilton died some weeks later in a Lexington hospital, but the cause of death remains to be fixed.

Witnesses were heard Tuesday by the grand jury in a continuation of the investigation into the slaying on Arkansas Creek of James Chaffins.

Trial of Eddie Jones, which was originally scheduled for April 23, has been redocketed for May 6. The court term has been extended for that case, and the trial was moved ahead because the original April 23 date followed by only a day the date set for the trial of Billy Keith Martin, who is accused of the gunshot slaying at Betsy Layne of his wife. Also listed for trial on a murder charge this month is Carlos Johnson, who is accused of the fatal stabbing on Mud Creek of Roy Dean Ray.

John Martin, the second man named in the Conleys' slayings, has not been arrested.

Commonwealth's Attorney, Harold Stumbo said the illness of Sheriff Joe W. Lewis could adversely affect the Commonwealth in its prosecution of certain cases during the current term.

Circuit Judge Hollie Conley's instructions to the grand jury Monday morning at the outset of the new court term were brief. He commented on violent crimes and remarked that "alcoholic beverages are, almost without exception, involved in most major crimes" committed in this county.

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### Garth School Announces Visitors Day for Apr. 11

Thursday, April 11, will be Visitors' Day at the Garth Vocational School, it was announced this week.

The school, officials said, invites the public and especially school personnel, high school sophomores and juniors and parents to visit during the day from 9 a.m. till 2 p.m.

### This Town... That World

Wonder why they took nicer months for girls' names? April, May and June. No July for the gals. Then they load dry August and windy March onto us guys. One of these days, think I'll lead a rebellion of my own.

**WHEN RIGHTS WERE RESPECTED**  
Watt Hale says he's a little discouraged after reading in this space that yarn about the mule whose tail was weighted down to keep him from hee-hawing, but he did remind me that there was a time when citizens had a deep respect for the law and what was right.

This citizen who respected the rights of others came upon this fellow, down by the side of the road on an overload of "cawn." He eyed the unconscious one and was fascinated by his Handlebar Hank mustache. The mustache was too inviting. It asked to be trimmed. So the good citizen reached down with his Barlow and sawed off the right wing and turned to leave.

But he came to a sudden stop. His conscience would not let him take a step farther. " 'Twouldn't be legal nor right to leave the pore feller in that fix," he mumbled.

So he went back and cut off the other side of the drunk's mustache.

Such a touching display of the qualities that made America great is enough to bring tears to the eyes.

**THE MISERIES OF PLEASANT HILL**  
In Arkansas there is a place called Pleasant Hill, and this is what the correspondent to the Stone County (Ark.) Leader reported as having happened there recently:

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## Judge Says Landfill Quest Is Frustrating

County Judge Henry Stumbo admits that the task of locating landfills that are acceptable to residents of the county and also to governmental agencies is a most frustrating experience.

"I was sure we would have a solid waste collection and disposal system in operation before now, but we have run into all sorts of situations," he said Monday.

He recalled that a landfill was located on a tract near Northern but that continued opposition from residents of the area caused the fiscal court to abandon the site. Now, a Turkey Creek site apparently is near approval, but its leasing from the Elk Horn Coal Corp. has been delayed by the illness of an Elk Horn official.

Another site considered ideal by Judge Stumbo is on Daniels Creek, but a

### Court House Happenings

#### SUITS FILED

Larcie Lewis, et al vs. Kentucky Road Oiling Co., Inc. J. W. Kinzer, et al, d-b-a vs. Col. Tom Montgomery & Associates, Floyd Federal Savings & Loan Ass'n vs. David Lee Grigsby, et al. Beneficial Finance Co. vs. Henry Calhoun, et al. James R. Yocom, Com's, vs. Columbus Jacobs, et al. Lena Patton vs. Don C. Patton. Leonard Anderson, et al vs. Mary Elizabeth Anderson. Oliver Hall vs. Western Pocahontas Coal Corp. Columbia Gas Distribution Co. vs. Commonwealth of Kentucky. John D. Curry vs. Sandra M. Curry. Roxie McCoy vs. Music-Carter-Hughes, etc. James R. Yocom, Com'r, vs. Leonard Kiser. National Mobile Homes vs. Watts International Mobile Homes. Sandra K. McKenzie vs. Marion Edward McKenzid. Vivian Leah Hicks vs. Sam Henry Hicks. Thelma Hamilton vs. Elmer Hamilton. Raymond Blackburn vs. Investors Heritage Life Insurance Co.

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### US 23 Rock Cut Here Scheduled For State Work

One of the several rock cuts on US 23 that have been considered dangerous to the traveling public is scheduled for improvement.

Secretary of Transportation James E. Gray said last week that he has authorized benching of the rock cut in the northern section of Prestonsburg. This is near the home of John W. Burke and is a particularly heavily travelled section of road.

The project, which involves the benching of the existing rock cut, is estimated to cost \$34,188. The work will be done by state personnel and equipment. Estimated completion date is November, this year.

Cuts of the same type border closely on US 23 at various other points north, between Prestonsburg and Paintsville. Plans for their benching have not been announced.

## Fund Solicitor Is Fined \$815, Told To Leave

The questioning by Sheriff Joe W. Lewis of a young black man and a white girl here, Monday afternoon of last week, resulted in their arrests and in the subsequent jailing of five others who allegedly were working with them at Allen and elsewhere in the county to solicit funds for the Sunshine Youth Foundation, of Frankfort.

One of the seven jailed here by Sheriff Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Green Slone was David C. Walker, leader of the canvassing party who, officials learned, also is president of the Frankfort foundation.

At the conclusion of questioning, Walker was fined a total of \$815, and County Judge Henry Stumbo directed Sheriff Lewis to give Walker only three hours "to get out of Floyd county."

Walker and the others—Robert Earl Taylor, Sandy Lynn Anderson, Larry Glenn Steenburgen, William Anderson, Holly Wells McDonald and Fred Meador, Jr.—hurriedly packed their belongings at their Jenny Wiley State Park campsite and were across the county line, well ahead of the time allotted them.

Walker was fined on charges of

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## Storm Loss May Exceed \$200,000

### Sen. Dee Huddleston To Speak April 16 At Chamber Meet

U. S. Senator Dee Huddleston will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Chamber of Commerce, April 16, it was announced this week by Ronald Frasure, chamber president.

Name of the organization was changed at Monday's meeting from the Prestonsburg Area Chamber of Commerce to include the name of the county in the hope of making the chamber representative of city and county.

The chamber voted Monday to present an award at the annual banquet to the "Outstanding Citizen of Floyd County for 1973." The banquet will be held at May Lodge at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Don Chaffin was elected chamber treasurer, a post which has been vacant since the death last year of Mrs. Judith Archer.

### Monday Night's Regarded Worst To Strike County

A windstorm approaching tornado proportions wove a crazy-quilt pattern as it dipped into widely scattered areas of the county late Monday night, causing damage which may exceed \$200,000.

Roofs of homes were ripped off, businesses damaged, one or more barns levelled, mobile homes jostled from their foundations and porches and carports blown away.

The full report of the damage was not available Tuesday afternoon, but one insurance agency reported 15 claims already filed.

Abbott Creek apparently was hardest hit, but damage was heavy in Prestonsburg, and reports of damage were coming in from Martin, Weeksbury, Melvin and other communities.

There was no loss of life, and injuries suffered were minor.

The storm broke shortly after 11 o'clock. One woman described the approaching cloud as "a ball."

Included in the loss of trees were many fruit trees, it was reported here. Interiors of unroofed homes suffered severely from the downpour of rain which accompanied the wind.

Perhaps the heaviest single loser was the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Com-

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## Floyd Jaycees Get \$5,000 Grant On Nutrition Center, Food Plant



Those present for the presentation of the National Jaycee Operation Mainstream Award to the Floyd County Area Jaycees and Mountain Comprehensive Care Center were, from left—Chalmer Howard, Jaycee project director; Hershell Joseph, Jaycee president; Jim Sparrow, Kentucky Jaycee president, and Tom Hummer, representing Mountain Comprehensive Care Center and HOPE Industries.

A \$5,000 U. S. Jaycee Project Mainstream grant has been awarded to the Floyd County Jaycees to help them procure and operate a nutrition center and food processing plant for the benefit of disadvantaged members of the community.

Announcement of the award came from U. S. Jaycee President Rick Clayton at the Jaycees' national headquarters in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

According to Clayton, the Floyd Jaycee chapter is one of 80 in the nation to be selected to receive a grant under the 1973-'74 program.

The Floyd County Jaycees recently elected to provide volunteer manpower, and community relations efforts to assist the nutrition center project if they were awarded a Project Mainstream grant.

Project Mainstream is a joint effort between Jaycee chapters, Community Action agencies and other community organizations involved in community development and urban affairs to eliminate the causes and conditions of our nation's poverty.

The local Jaycees will be working with the Mountain Comprehensive Care Center and HOPE Industries.

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## TV Franchising Stay Continued, Bond Increased

Last Thursday's hearing by Special Judge Reed Anderson, of the Pike circuit court, of the suit filed by Akers Cable System, Inc., enjoining the Floyd fiscal court from awarding franchises to 24 independent cable system operators, was mainly a conference between the judge and opposing legal counsel.

The case will be decided after counsel submit briefs, Judge Anderson said. He continued the temporary injunction against the court and raised Akers' bond from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

The fiscal court's first attempt at franchising last August was halted by temporary injunction procured by Akers. The franchising was undertaken, it was said, because the Federal Communications Commission requires all cable systems to be franchised by a local governing body by 1977 in order for them to procure a Certificate of Compliance from FCC.

Akers' suit challenges the constitutionality of the fiscal court action and claims violation of rights.

Judge Anderson said that, once attorneys' briefs are in, he will "try to decide the case promptly."

# To Present 'The Jesus Story'



The Watchmen Four, a gospel quartet, will present "The Jesus Story" at the Hueysville Church of Christ, April 13 and 14.

The quartet, part of Operation Evangelize Youth Mission Inc., which was formed in January, 1970, combines a program of gospel singing and preaching.

The Watchmen Four are from Kentucky Christian College, Grayson, Kentucky. The group is comprised of Rick Ranson, tenor; Steve Ranson, lead; Bruce Templeton, baritone; George

Draper, bass; and Vickie Warren, accompanist. The evangelist is David Lucas, also from Kentucky Christian College.

The services will begin at 7 p.m. on Saturday evening, April 13. The Easter morning sunrise service will be held on the "high rocks," above the church. The Bible school hour at 10 a.m., worship at 11 a.m., and the Sunday evening service at 7 o'clock. The Watchmen Four will be present for all the services, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

# P-burg Honor Roll Students Named

The semester honor roll of Prestonsburg High School, as announced by Ronald Hager, principal, follows:

4.00 average—Donna L. Patrick, Martin L. Osborne, Marjorie Jagers, Phillip Elliott, Donald Arnett, Laura Brackett, Dorothy Wells, Joetta Johnson, Samuel Isbell, Debbie Hampton, Gracie Hale, Toni Beverly, William Jagers, John E. Hunt, Phillip Greene, David Flannery, Patricia Watson, Wanda McGlone, Brenda Music, Robert Herrick, Janie Beverly, Sharon Shepherd, Demetra Slone, Martha Shepherd, Toni Ranier, Dorita Hubbard, Tim Howard, Linda Godsey, Billy Francis, Deborah Fannin, Deborah Davidson, Edith Collins, Gary Brown, Larry Brown, Gregory Wells, Dora Webb, Wayne Gearheart, Sandra Ousley.

3.50-3.83 average—Bobby Curnutte, Randy Gearheart, Paula Hinchman, Virginia Pitts, Beth Martin, Marquietta Spears, Richard Greer, Greg Dixon, Susan Clark, Mary Shepherd, Greg Howell, Sandi Phillips, Sandra Prater, Mike Dixon, Drema Cornelison, Marsha Stumbo, Paul Manuel, Diana Shepherd, Debbie Parsons, Tim Crisp, Mark Boatwright, Linda Baldrige, Roselee Caudill, Donald Willis, Randy Wilcox, Patricia Thornsby, Rayanna Rodebaugh, John Meador, Dianna Hicks, Barbara Burchett, C. V. Reynolds, Benjie Caudill, Karen Murphy, Diana Ousley, Mark Weddington, Laura Weddle, Susan Martin, Holly Leach, Kathy Ratliff, Nancy Presley, Judy Tussey, Samuel Hale, Novania Akers, Bernadine Wells, Cheri Sword, Jonell Tackett, Sherry Music, Julie Bolling, Blake Burchett, Paul Williams, Connie Pelphrey, Harry Burchett, Locky Lambert, David Shepherd, Betty Johnson, Greg Herrick, Lori Gardener, Barbara Ratliff, Lloyd Shepherd, Suzanne Patton, Pam Nance, Carol Music, Deanna Horn, Linda Webb, Teresa Pelphrey, Kathy Harris, Greg Spradlin, Kathy Murphy, Bill Booth, Brenda Baldrige, Janie Wells.

3.00-3.40 average—Marcia Watson, Chicita Slone, Donald Leckrone, Gwen Blackburn, James Maynard, Melissa Robinson, Jeffery Powers, David Nelson, Paula Martin, Edna Miller, Suzanne Wright, Dee Dee Kalos, Greg Murray, Mary Holbrook, Steve Holbrook, Elizabeth Hunt, Kathy Goble, Clara Endicott, Mary Grimm, Benny Lafferty, Gary Shepherd, James W. Blackburn, Patsy Prater, Pat Rorrer, Billy Reynolds, Peggy Lynch, Rita Goble, Laura Mayo, Debbie Garrett, Steve Fitzpatrick, Glen Franko, Navajo Daniels, Maggie Branham, Alta Setser, Paul Magura, David LeMaster, Vivian Haywood, Lisa Scutchfield, Earl Robinson, Danny Jeff Bingham, Cathy George, Ellis Castle, Steve Porter, Teresa Potter, Larry Hyden, Joe Hyden, Adam Stone, Ricky Wallen, Gary Dotson, Gary Crum, Lona Stephens, Donald Music, Kim Alexander, Gary Burchett, Roger Morrison, Pamela Ousley, Karen Ratliff, Pat Clark, Judy Hyden, Harold Warrix, Kathy Prater, DeVon Shepherd, Barbara Allen, Gary Burrus, Billy Curnutte, Clyde DeRossett, Jimmy Rodgers, Christine Prater, Wilma Foley, Onda Hunt, Sandy Calhoun, John Layne, Jenifer Jones, Melissa Lafferty, Kippy McNally, Delmar Bentley, Thelma Hughes, Helena Holbrook, Rodney Holbrook, Cathy Curnutte, Brad Kalos,

Drema Thornsby, Barbara Branham, Ronnie Bryant, Oliver Setser, Sammy Prater, Steve Campbell, Paul Branham, Missy Hicks, Donald Hicks, Lloyd Sammons, Nancy Venters, Gary Ousley, Rose Mocklar, Hedda L. McCoy, Steve Stephens, Joe Watson, Rita Wallen, Sharon Ousley, John Heinze, Randy Click, Erelene Allen, Bruce Austin, Sharon Goble, Wilma George, Frank Grey, Brenda George, Janet Dotson, Causetta Pitts, Billie Laffery, Barry Adkins, Sharon Branham, Pat Lafferty, Bonnie Collins, Dwight Justice, Wanda Goble, Rose Sammons, Sharon Cleavor, Polly Davis.

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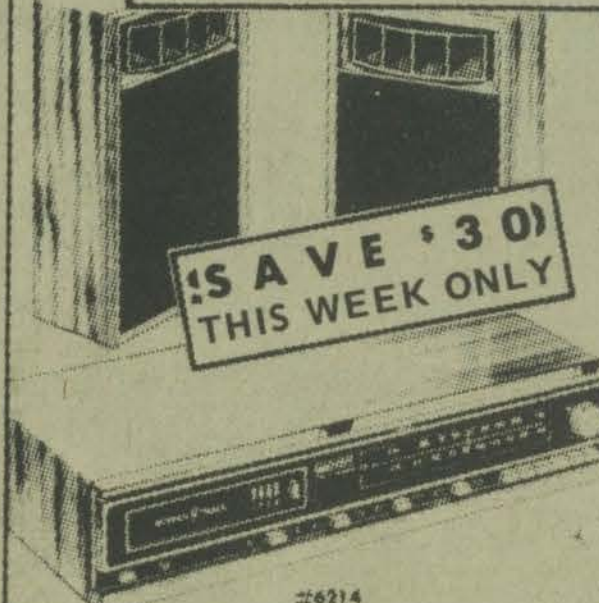
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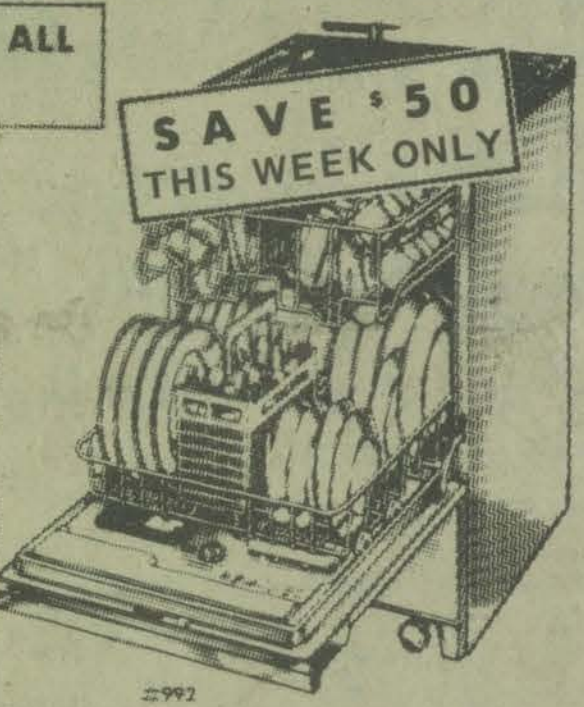
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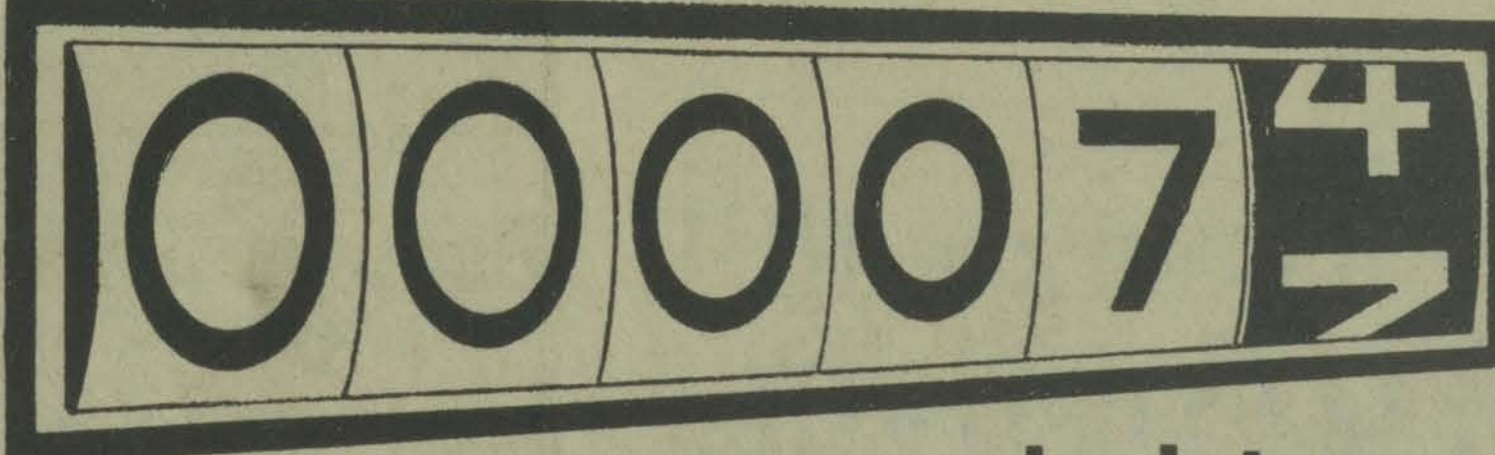
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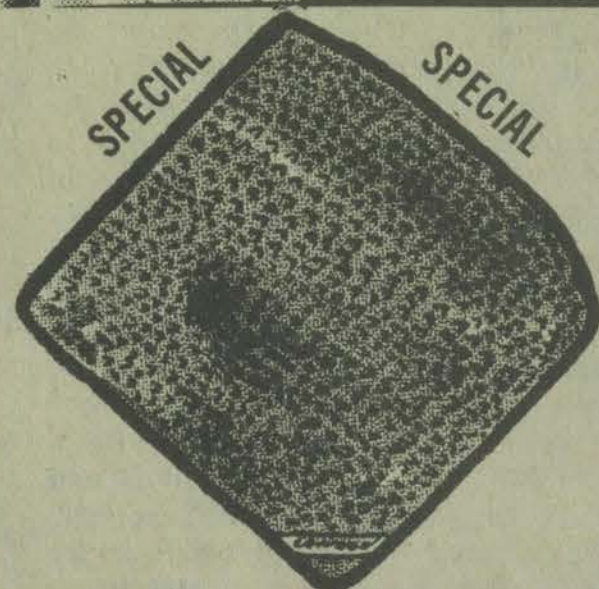


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### 'ORPHAN OF THE STORM'



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## Perkins' Education Bill Wins Passage; Kentucky To Benefit

Washington.—The major federal legislation assisting local school systems has been extended in a bill passed by the House, and its sponsor, Rep. Carl D. Perkins, said, "This bill will mean additional millions of dollars coming into the state, and a better education for our school children."

Most of the funds referred to in the program are usually known as "Title I." It is part of the legislation which was originally sponsored by Rep. Perkins in 1965, and which he fought through to passage.

"The major problem we faced with the bill extending the education programs was over how the money would be divided among the various school districts in the United States," Rep. Perkins said. "I wanted to make sure the money was divided fairly—and I wanted to make sure that Kentucky was not slighted."

The formula accepted by the House of Representatives was known as "Perkins Formula 31," because it was the thirty-first formula taken up in Perkins' Education and Labor Committee.

Under that formula, Kentucky would get \$34,701, 603 in Title I funds, an increase of 8 percent, or \$2,488,878 over what it is getting during the current year.

"We are entitled to these additional funds for our school systems, and I am glad that I was able to convince the House to go along with the funds

distribution which will give the additional money to Kentucky," he said.

The House debated the bill for three days, indicating how important the legislation is, since the House can usually dispose of most legislation in a matter of hours.

Now, the U. S. Senate must pass its aid to education bill, and Rep. Perkins expects that to happen in the next few weeks.

"I hope very much that the Senate will accept our bill, because it is the fairest that can be devised," Rep. Perkins said.

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### Floyd Co. To Share In Headstart Funds

Pre-school children from Floyd and 10 other eastern Kentucky counties should benefit from a \$1,090, 123 grant approved in Washington recently, Senator Marlow Cook has reported.

Cook said the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare awarded the funds to the Kentucky Youth Center, Inc. at Frankfort for a nine-month Headstart program providing pre-school training for children, including medical, mental, social and psychological services.

Counties to be served by that program are Floyd, Clay, Elliott, Jackson, Knott, Lee, Letcher, Magoffin, Morgan, Owsley and Wolfe.

The first written contract between coal miners and operators, signed July 29, 1870, provided for a sliding scale of pay, based on the price of coal, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," a U.S. Department of Labor publication.

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Elizabeth Triplett, 301 S. Breiel Blvd., Middletown, Ohio, is a 15-year-old honor student in her sophomore class of Middletown High School.

Ministers Briefed on Drug, Alcohol Education Program

At the March 26 meeting of the Floyd County Ministerial Association, the Drug and Alcohol Education Division of Mountain Comprehensive Care presented content and format of educational program in local high schools on the subject of drugs and alcohol.

It was reported that Rev. William Jagers, Rev. William Poole and Rev. William Thomas had visited with the Floyd County Board of Education and Floyd school principals to represent the interest of the ministers in acting as resource persons for religious studies, sociology, history, literature, etc. in the schools.

The schedule of ministers for the Sunday worship service via closed circuit

Scout Cookie Sale Successful; Meets Slated This Month

The Girl Scout cookie sale in the Floyd county area has been completed for another year and was termed a big success.

Only 10 troops were involved in the sale and they were scattered over an area which included Allen, Auxier, Martin, Maytown, Prestonsburg, Wheelwright and Paintsville.

Miss Toni Potter, field advisor for the Eastern Kentucky area of the Wilderness Road Girl Scout Council, and Mrs. John Brown, Jr., local cookie chairman, were in charge of the sale.

Important meetings for the month of April have been announced as follows: April 4, a day camp training meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Camp Chatterwa at Dewey Lake.

April 6, Kentucky Heritage Day, will be observed in Lexington. This takes place each year as hundreds of Brownie Girl Scouts from all over the state gather to trade ideas and crafts.

An eastern Kentucky area meeting is scheduled April 17 for the Green Meadow Country Club at Pikeville, from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Anyone interested in helping with the Girl Scout movement in the least way should contact Miss Toni Potter in Prestonsburg or one of the numbers listed above.

Times Want Ads Get Results!

television at Highlands Regional Hospital for April was announced: April 7, Rev. William Thomas; April 14, Rev. Howard Coop; April 21, Rev. William Gilliland; April 28, Rev. William Jagers.

The Good Friday service will be at First United Methodist Church here at 12:10 p.m. The preacher will be Rev. William Poole. The Easter Sunrise Service will be at 6 a.m. at the amphitheater at Jenny Wiley State Park.

The next regular meeting will be held April 23 at 10 a.m. at the Regional Library here. Any individual who has a concern he or she wishes discussed at the Ministerial Association meetings may have it placed on the agenda by calling the chairman, Rev. William Thomas, at 886-3447.

Native Floyd Woman Federation Official

Vivian Patton Sansom, formerly of this county and a member of Glass Bottle Blowers Association, AFL-CIO, Local 256 in Huntington, has been elected by the Federation executive board to fill the vacancy of Jack R. McComas as Federation vice-president.

McComas resigned in December to accept a staff position with the Federal as Compensation Services Director.

Mrs. Sansom, who has been a member of the local for 27 years, works at the Owens-Illinois plant in Huntington. In addition to being a trustee and past recording secretary of her local, she has been the Huntington Area WAD director since 1968.

She also serves on the board for Muscular Dystrophy for Cabell county, is active in the Veterans of Foreign Wrs auxiliary and was a captain for the cancer drive in south-east Huntington.

Mrs. Sansom is the wife of Clyde Sansom and is the fourth woman to serve as a vice president of the Federation. Her mother, Mrs. Della Patton, resides at Emma.

Mr., Miss VICA Named at Mayo

Fred R. Little, cosmetology student, and Diana J. Skaggs, a student in Graphic Arts, were selected as Mr. and Miss VICA at Mayo State Vocational School March 23 at the district skill olympics.

VICA is a National Youth Organization known as The Vocational Industrial Clubs of America. These are students enrolled in secondary and post-secondary vocational industrial education. The contest is designed to encourage the development of student participation in club activities at both state and local levels.

Competition will be held in Lexington, April 25 and 26 at the VICA State Leadership Conference for the state title of Mr. and Miss VICA.

Mr. Little is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Little, of Weeksbury. He and his wife Gloria, of Gloria's Hair Styling Salon, now reside in Prestonsburg.

CORRECTION

The Times was informed last week that Harliss Stone, of Bypro, was erroneously listed in last week's edition as being arrested for possession of a deadly weapon when, in fact, the charge was public drunk.

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Tuesday, for the neigh-borhood cookout, he donned an apron embel-lished with funny slogans.

At the Wednesday civic-club, he kept things lively ...noisily shaking coins in a coffee can as he assessed fines from derelict members.

Thursday was lodge night. No special rites, so a simple fez sufficed.

Friday? High-school home-coming game. In a coonskin coat, reeking of mothballs, Jim chanted the traditional incantations: "Two, four, six, eight... who (sic) do we appreciate?"

Saturday chores found him bedecked in a rather gaudy uniform-of-the-day: silky-shiny coveralls in chic burnt-gold hue.

And on Sunday, as he passed his acquaintance, the Episcopal rector, in front of the church, Jim chuckled: "Those crazy Episcopalians! How do they stand all the robes and ritual?"

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Miss Charlotte Mullins has been named acting State Treasurer by Governor Wendell H. Ford (with whom she is shown in photo at the time of her appointment). Her position was recommended by State Treasurer Drexell R. Davis. She will serve as acting treasurer while Davis is out of the state attending a State Treasurers' Conference. Miss Mullins serves as Treasury Department comptroller, her primary responsibility being the investment of state funds. She was employed by the Public Service Commission from 1962-1968, and was a member of the staff of the Legislative Research Commission until she began work for Davis. Miss Mullins is the daughter of Mrs. Oak Mullins, of David.

**Highlands Regional Medical Center**

Patients Dismissed  
 (March 22 through March 29)

Lola V. Collins, Van Lear; Julie Howard, Pyramid; Goldia L. Goble, Prestonsburg; Newt Green, Jr., Prestonsburg; Hazel Caudill, Stam-baugh; Ellis Keathley, Galveston; Margaret Patton, Estill; Naomi Tackett, Galveston; Elizabeth Conley, Martin; Jessica Don Cline, Inez; Sharon Kay Bentley, Auxier; Edith Fletcher, Mar-shallville; Ethel Pack, Paintsville; Jerry Griffith, David; Elizabeth Burke, Stanville; Susan M. Robinson, Prestons-burg; Kathy L. Robinson, Prestonsburg; Grover Arnett, Ashland; Chris Moore, Pyramid; Della Shepherd, West Prestonsburg; Levon Jacobs, Larkslane; Ernestine DeBoard, Prestonsburg; Oscar Reynolds, Allen; Ira Sparks, Lowmansville; Marie Bentley, Garrett; Rena Jo Blair, East Point; Mack Lewis, Ivel; Ellery Owens, Prestonsburg; Bonnie Carroll, Auxier; Christopher Rice, Conley; Janie Branham, Prestons-burg; James Kelson Akers, Banner; Joyce Gunnels, Martin; Morrie Thomp-son, Salyersville; Brian Castle, Wittens-ville; Syrida F. Martin, Hueysville;

Nellie Jean Boothe, Van Lear; Alafair Boyd, Estill; Kathy Murphy, West Prestonsburg; Jeffery D. Caldwell, Salyersville; Regina Akers, Banner; Erman Poe, West Prestonsburg; James Ross, Salyersville; Anna Margaret David, Paintsville; Carl Howard, Gypsy; Bascom C. Prater, Salyersville; Mary E. McKenzie, Auxier; Marcus Elliott, West Prestonsburg; Charlie Arnett, West Prestonsburg; Amy Lynn Adkins, Allen; Addie Click, Auxier; Pat Blevins, West Van Lear; William T. Mollette, Boons-camp; Kimberly Risner, David; Vernon Bailey, Bypro; Mary Music, Prestons-burg; Anna Lee Estep, Paintsville; Anna Thacker, Thelma; Ella Sue Arnett, Salyersville; Sharon Morris, Allen; Geneva Scaff, Prestonsburg; Draxie Newsome, Ligon; Clarence Swetnam, Garrett; Kermit Spradlin, Paintsville; William Honshell, Wayland; Lillie Parker, Prestonsburg; Webster Akers (expired), Prestonsburg; Dorothy Howard, Royalton; Tommie Moore, Langley; Gladys Senters, West Van Lear; Okey Burkett, West Prestonsburg; Susie Ratliff, Prestonsburg; Earl Baisden, Kermit, W. Va.; Martha Caudill, Wayland; Mary Pratt, Garrett; Mary M. Johnston, Wayland; Bonnie Joseph, Prestonsburg; Virginia Conley, Martin; Lona Cole, Prestonsburg; Joseph Hicks, Pyramid; Jan Magura, Paintsville; Elwoods Fletcher, Salyers-ville; Charles Patton, Prestonsburg; Greg Adkins, Harold; Monie Castle, Thealka; Allen Conley, Hueysville; Hugh B. Connors, Inez.

**BIRTHS**

A son, Larry W., to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Patton, of Estill, March 14; a daughter, Stacy Renee, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore, of Pyramid, March 20; a son, Millard Wallace, to Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gun-nels, of Martin, March 21; a son, Hershel D. Joseph II, to Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Joseph, of Prestonsburg, March 22; a son, Jeffery, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howard, of Royalton, March 25; a daughter, Denece Kelly, to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Morris, of Hager Hill, March 25.

**Husband and Wife Speak On Subject of Hunger**

Wayland, Ky.—"Crusade Against Hunger" was the topic discussed at the March program meeting of the Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club with a husband and wife team of speakers. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip R. Price, of Prestons-burg, were guest speakers for Mrs. J. T. Spillman, program leader, at the home of Mrs. Glenn Pack, Garrett. Mr. Price is a teacher at Prestonsburg High School and Mrs. Price is with the Department of Health—Comprehensive Care.

Mr. Price pointed out that probably none of his hearers had ever been really hungry in the sense that we think of the hungry peoples of the world. He also explained that particularly in our area of Eastern Kentucky families are prone to do for their own. However, it is necessary that we have welfare programs and food stamps to care for the hungry needy. At Prestonsburg, he explained, the Prestonsburg Food Program is under way, with four counties included and another twelve counties having been recently approved for inclusion in the program.

Mrs. Price spoke of the Prestonsburg "Meals on Wheels" program, explaining that this is not a federal, state or county welfare program as so many people believe, but strictly volunteer program to aid those who are incapacitated for some reason and unable to prepare their own meals. Anyone who is unable to prepare his own food and has no one else to do it for him can notify "Meals on Wheels" volunteers and ask for the service. If the person is able to pay for the service, a fee in keeping with his ability to pay will be charged. Mrs. Price also stressed that volunteers are needed, as each volunteer donates two hours of his time one day each week at present to deliver food to shut-ins. The food can be kept on the road only one hour, so the recipients must live in a close radius of Prestonsburg.

During the business meeting Mrs. J. T. Spillman was re-elected a trustee for the club. It was reported that over \$140 had been raised thus far in the Heart Fund Drive by the club. The election com-mittee chairman, Mrs. Billa Castle, reported as follows: first vice-president, Mrs. James Duff; second vice-president, Mrs. James E. Martin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Otto Martin; recording secretary, Mrs. Rex Martin; treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Pack. These officers were elected by unanimous vote and for the office of president, Mrs. J. C. Wells was nominated from the floor and unanimously elected.

Fifteen members advised that they would go to the inter-club dinner at Wheelwright.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Billa Castle, Mrs. M. M. Collins, Mrs. Mervil Dixon, Mrs. Alice Hornsby, Mrs. Don Hughes, Mrs. James E. Martin, Mrs. Otto Martin, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. Eugene Mullins, Mrs. Glenn Pack, Mrs. J. T. Spillman, Mrs. Joyce Stevens, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip R. Price.

The next meeting will be held April 15 at the new residence of Mrs. Charles Hughes, formerly of Wayland, who with her husband recently purchased the Dr. Midkiff house in Prestonsburg. The subject for the program will be "Fine Art" and the speaker will be Mrs. Duna Combs, well-known area artist.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
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### Outstanding 4-H Club Members



Ann Flanery, of Langley, and Lance Blackburn, of Stanville, were selected recently as the outstanding Floyd county 4-H clubmembers for 1973. This selection was made in the Courier-Journal award of Excellency contest.

Miss Flanery received additional honors as outstanding 4-H girl in the Northeast 4-H area. She is the 15 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flanery, of Langley, and is a sophomore at Allen Central High School. She has been a 4-H club member for seven years. Her honors in 4-H include county and

area championships in project records, demonstrations, style revue, clothing and food judging and junior leadership. She is a member of the Allen Central 4-H Club.

Blackburn is the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blackburn, of Stanville, and is a junior at Betsy Layne High School. He has been a 4-H member for eight years and his honors in 4-H include member of state championship 4-H poultry judging team, county and area championships in project records, demonstrations and in junior leadership.

### More Officers To Enforce Laws Governing Boating

Frankfort, Ky.—Two recent developments will enable Kentucky's water enforcement personnel to step up their activity during the upcoming boating season, said Doug Shoulders, administrator of the state Division of Water Enforcement in the Department of Transportation.

The 1974 General Assembly's passage of House Bill 390 gives officers in the Division of Highway Enforcement the authority to enforce state boating laws.

"This will give us 70 additional enforcement officers to police the Commonwealth's waterways during holidays and other peak activity periods," said Shoulders.

"Another recent development which will help," he said, "is the addition of 12 new patrol boats to our fleet."

Shoulders outlined some of the laws which the Division of Water Enforcement is responsible for enforcing and of which boat owners should be aware.

All motorboats primarily used in Kentucky must be registered and numbered in Kentucky. However, boats registered in other states may use Kentucky's waterways up to 60 days without re-registering. The registration certificate in either case must be on board at all times.

It is against Kentucky law to pollute its waters by any means, so litter bags should be kept on board and used.

House Bill 176, which was passed in the 1974 General Assembly, makes it illegal to operate a boat on Kentucky waters

without a muffler to insure quietness of operation, except during authorized races, regattas or trial runs for same. This law should become effective by July of 1974.

The federal boating regulations, which became effective in October of 1973, require boats 16 feet in length and over to carry a wearable flotation device (life preserver) for each person on board.

The law also requires that at least one throwable device, such as a buoyant cushion or ring buoy, be on board.

Boats less than 16 feet in length, including all canoes and kayaks, are required only to have a personal flotation device (not necessarily wearable) on board for each passenger.

Shoulders advised boaters to closely inspect the seaworthiness of their boats and equipment before going out on the water. "Life preservers are especially susceptible to damage due to dry rotting during the winter," he noted.

Federal boating laws require that all personal flotation devices be in good, serviceable condition.

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### WESTERN RECOGNIZES 1,300 TOP STUDENTS

Bowling Green, Ky.—More than 1300 Western students and their parents have been recognized at the University's annual Honors Convocation which was held in the Ballroom of the Paul L. Garrett Conference Center on the campus.

Students with grade point averages of 3.3 and above out of a possible 4.0 received special invitations to attend the program where Western President Dero G. Downing told the honorees and their families: "Your participation in this honors program gives evidence of your commitment and reflects the choices which you have made. You have chosen to apply your abilities and to make the most of the educational opportunities which Western has provided," he said.

Among the top students honored at the convocation was Susan Jett Jagers, freshman, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. William D. Jagers, of Prestonsburg.

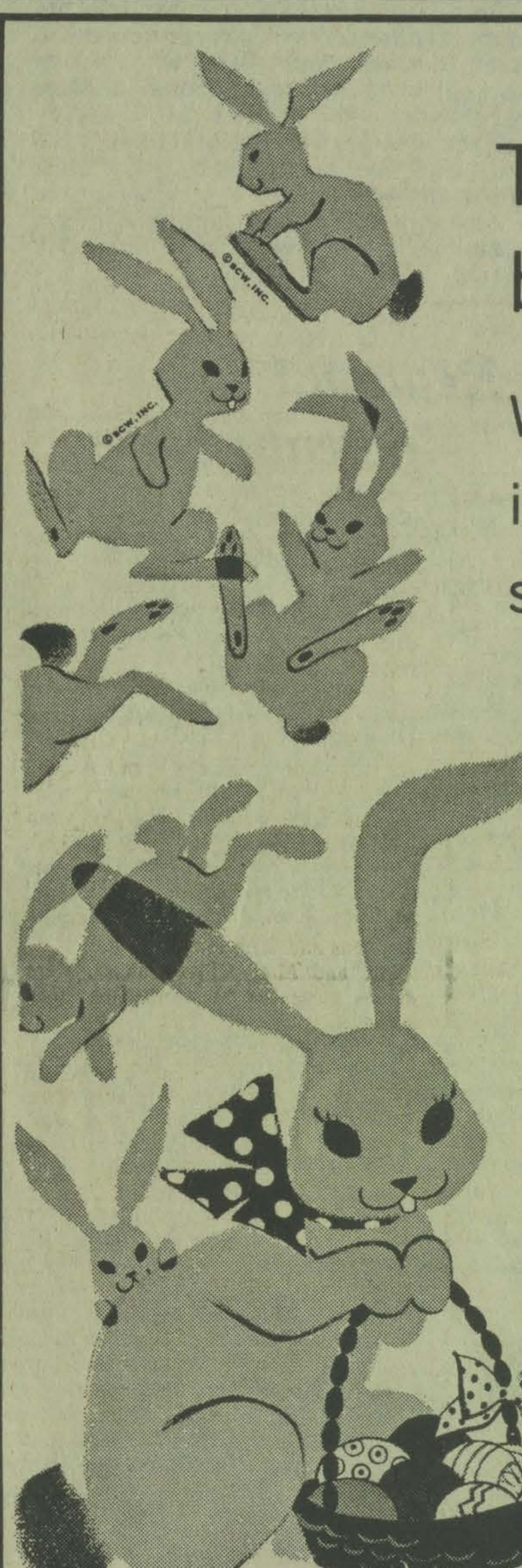
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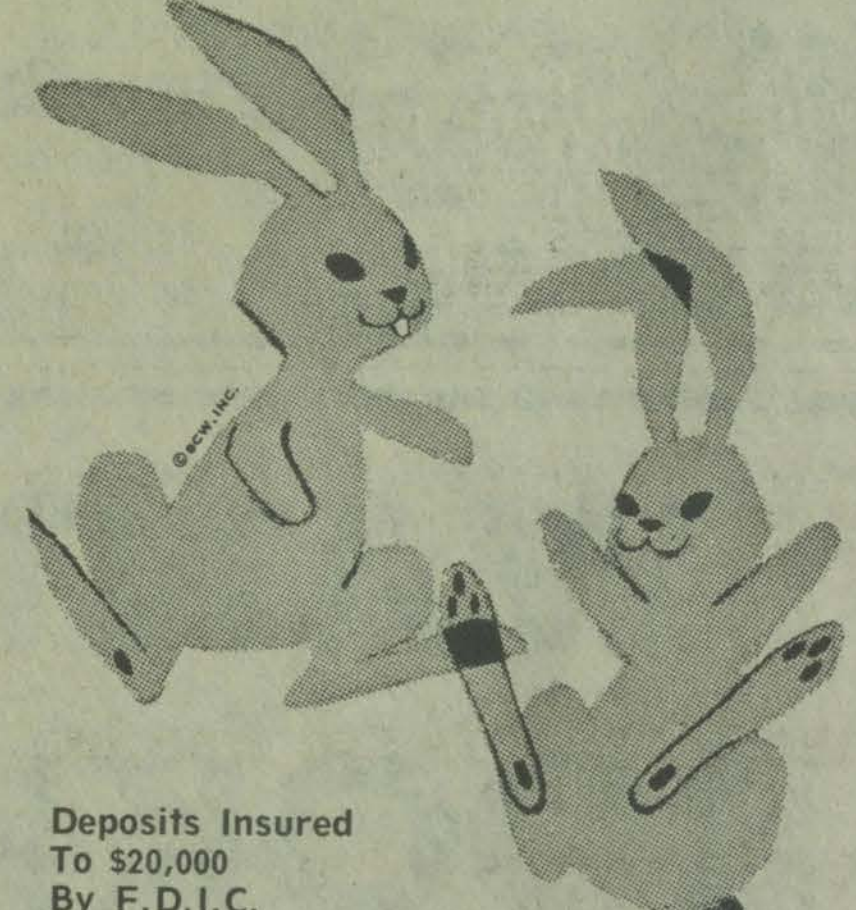
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### Compete for Student Honors



Representing the Prestonsburg Woman's Club in student competition at the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Club's 7th district contest at Wayland, March 23, were Toni Kay Beverly, daughter of Mrs. Monnie Beverly; Susan Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Martin, and Janet Lee Dotson, daughter of Mrs. Dollie S. Dotson. Miss Beverly and Miss Dotson received first place in sewing and oil painting and are eligible for state competition at the KFWC convention at the Gault House in Louisville next month.

#### NOTICE

Glenn Michael Blackburn has filed application with the Floyd County Court for license to operate the B.B.S. game room at Allen, Ky.  
C. "OLLIE" ROBINSON  
Clerk, Floyd County Court  
4-3-31.

#### Date for 3 Classes Changed to April 9

George Ramey, director of Mayo School, announces the change in starting date on three part-time evening classes. The original starting date, March 19, has been changed to April 9.  
The auto mechanics class offered is designed for those people who would like to do some of their own basic auto repairs.  
The class in appliance repair is also designed for all individuals interested in doing some of their own electrical repairs in the home or shop.  
The third class being offered is key punch operation. Key punching is the operation of preparing data for automatic processing by computers.  
These courses are designed to run for 10 weeks, and a total of 60 hours is possible.

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### MAYTOWN COMMUNITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salisbury and children, of Beaver, Ohio, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart.

Mrs. Cody Gibson and Daryl, of Wayland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Selton Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Allen Sunday afternoon.

Regg and Phillip Perkins, of Columbia, Tenn., have been the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchett.

Friends and relatives visiting Mrs. Lula Click and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramey Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Prater and Mrs. Grace Burchett, of Mantion, Mrs. Cody Gibson and Daryl Gibson, of Wayland, Mrs. Kitty Dings and Nancy Dings, of Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gibson. Gardes Prater, of Hamden, Ohio, visited them Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtley Conley, of Willard, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Webb, Tuesday.

Tommy Moore was admitted to Highlands Regional Medical Center last Friday and was released on Thursday after undergoing treatment for a chronic condition.

Jimmy Bebbe and son, Donald, and Booner Moore, all of Toledo, Ohio, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis and also visited Tommy Moore at Highlands Hospital.

Thomas Gregg Halbert spent his spring vacation from Eastern Kentucky University visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Cornett and family at Skyline, Ky. They went fishing at Turkey Lake and Norris Dam in Tennessee.

Several friends of Bess Ratliff gathered at her home Thursday, March 27, to help celebrate her 72nd birthday. She was given a beautiful cake baked by Mrs. Marie Stephens and several gifts. She also received a telephone call from Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Begley, of Blackey, wishing her a happy birthday. Guests were Mrs. Golda Salyers, Lula Martin, Nora Hayes, Bertha Click, Mrs. Millard Stephens and Mrs. Minnie Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Moore were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sword on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shropshire, Myra, Danny and Andy, of Columbus, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and sons, Billy, Mike, Bobby and Richard, of Hampton, Va., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis and Tommy Moore.

Mrs. Jack Sword celebrated her birthday, March 27, with church services at her home. Those attending were: Rev. and Mrs. Hebbard Mullins; Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Williams and daughter and Mrs. Martha Williams, all of Minnie, Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp, of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Hicks and Mrs. Betty Moore, Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McComas, Eastern, Mrs. Sarah Allen, Mrs. Bertha Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Manor Manuel, Mrs. Monroe Sloan, Mrs. Edna Bailey, Bess Ratliff, Mrs. Millard Stephens, Mrs. Minnie Howell and son and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Adkins.

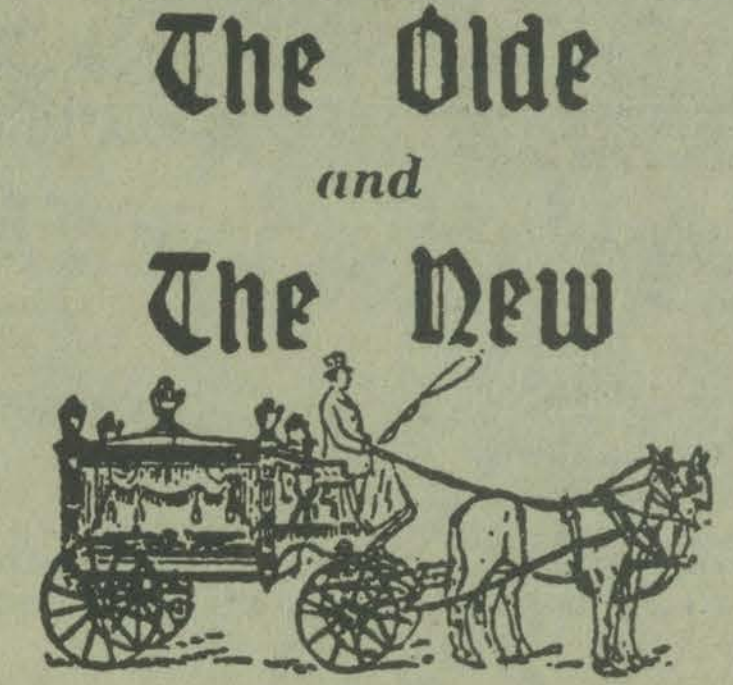
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O. Spencer, of Prestonsburg, announce the birth of a son, Alex Shawn, March 17 at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Spencer is the former Judy Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Myers, of Brooksville, Ky. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer of Eastern.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gregg Halbert who have been living in Ypsilanti, Mich. returned to Maytown last week. Mr. Halbert will be employed here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmal Click were in Pikeville, Saturday, on business.

Glenn Slone had a successful fishing trip at Cumberland Lake last week-end, returning home with several fish, the largest weighing five pounds.

The Bill Osborne family have moved a trailer on the lots where their house recently burned and are now living here.



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### Tax Exemption For Elderly Is Increased

By Paula Alexander

Gov. Wendell H. Ford has signed a measure that will result in an estimated annual savings of \$400,000 in taxes for more than 6,000 Kentuckians.

Senate Bill 219, sponsored by Sen. Joe Stacy, D-West Liberty, enables the elderly to qualify for tax exemptions, under the Homestead Amendment, up to one year in advance by deleting requirements that an application be filed by March 1 of the year in which the person becomes eligible.

Under present law, applicants must be 65 by Jan. 1 of the year in which they file for exemptions. The bill provides that eligible persons may file any time during 1974, or by March 1 in following years.

An applicant must file with the property valuation administrator of his county and maintain the property for which an exemption is sought as his personal residence. Only one exemption per homestead is allowed, regardless of the number of 65-year-old residents living there.

If a homestead is jointly owned, the exemption applies only when all owners are 65, the property is maintained as a residence of all the owners, or a joint owner is the spouse of an eligible applicant.

Rental rooms in a residence that qualifies for the exemption do not constitute a violation of the single unit residence restriction if the renting is merely incidental to the use of the premises as a single family home.

SB 219 passed the Senate March 1, 32-0, and was approved by the House, 78-0, March 15.

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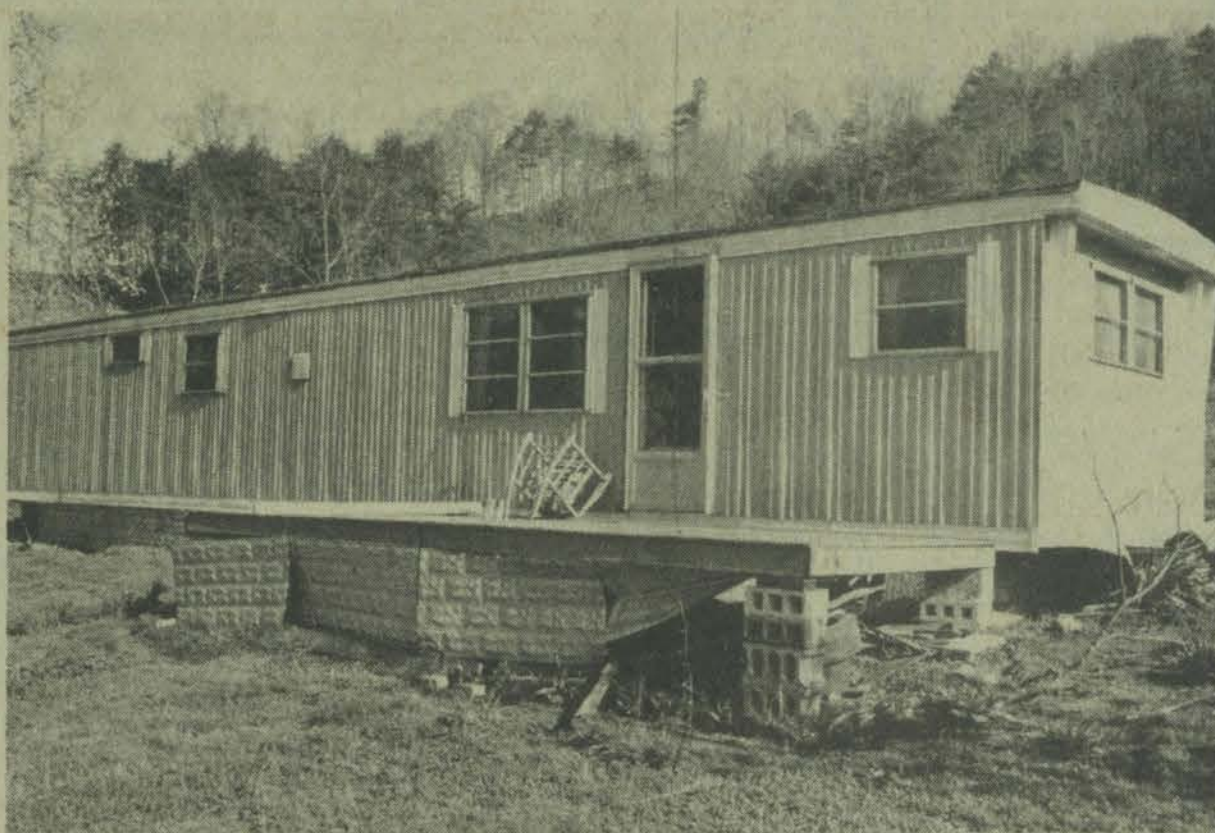
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# Spots Where Wind Touched Down



Front view of Compton's Phillips 66 Station here shows broken glass and twisted door but fails to picture ruined roof after windstorm.



Beelek Ray's trailer-home on Abbott Creek was blown from its foundation, and the roof of the front porch came to rest, approximately 200 feet away.



Front view of the Harris Howard home, showing a portion of the roof damage.

## Small Mine Closings Less Than Expected

Closing of hundreds of small mines failed to materialize Monday, as predicted, and Eastern Kentucky's booming coal industry continued to boom.

As word came of a reprieve for the small mines faced by a closing order if certain permissible shooting methods and costly safety equipment were not installed, there came also an announcement of Island Creek Coal Company's plan to open two new underground mines in Pike county, bringing to three the number of such new mines planned for that county, the largest producer of coal in the United States. Occidental Petroleum Corp., parent firm of Island Creek, announced that two new mines are also planned in West Virginia and one in Virginia.

All five mines will employ 1,775 workers, have an annual payroll of \$23 million and are expected to produce 7.6 million tons of coal a year. The Pike mines will be located about seven miles south of Williamson, W. Va. Bill W. Clemons, assistant district manager at Pikeville for the Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration, said predictions of wholesale small mine closings were "grossly exaggerated." Clemons said that in this district of 17 counties some 170 mines are listed as not yet having the required equipment. "By far the largest part of them," he

added, "are in compliance with guidelines which will allow them to remain open past today's (Saturday's) deadline."

The primary stipulation is that operators show that the required equipment has been ordered.

His agency began checking Monday to look at records and determine if the equipment has been placed on order.

However, he said there will be no stepup in inspections, and the force of some 35 inspectors will remain the same.

"The only people with problems are those who haven't applied for an extension," it was said.

But there are ways the operators can still work their mines.

Regulations allow a miner to operate his non-permissive equipment—even after the deadline—by taking it to the last open cross cut in the mine, a so-called fresh air area. So, by simply moving some equipment the operator could be in compliance.

U. S. Senator Marlow Cook announced Friday that the Small Business Administration will make loans to small mine operators who want to buy required equipment.

Floyd county's current coal mining industry is almost entirely restricted to small underground mines and striping. The latter is the major portion of the business.

Coal continues to bring prices often rising above \$30 a ton. Strangely enough, steam coal has from some buyers brought more than the higher grade metallurgical coal.

"This thing scares me," one man active in the business said. He explained that he was thinking of booms in the past and the slumps that followed.

## ALLEN COMMUNITY NEWS

Called here by the death of Robert D. Shepherd, of Martin, were relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Williams and son, Chris, of St. Cloud, Fla., Mrs. Lois M. White, Orlando, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin S. Thacker and daughter, Andrea, of Attica, Ohio, and Mrs. Roy Kopacka, of Berea, Ohio. While here they were guests of Mrs. Fanny Workman, aunt of the late Mr. Shepherd.

Mrs. Oriole Maggard and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Storrow, and son, of Lexington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lafferty, and relatives at Banner and Prestonsburg last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Preston spent the week-end at their farm at Borders Chapel in Lawrence county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes and daughter, Regina, were in Lexington Monday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Obie Crisp gave a birthday party Saturday for their grandson, Marty Vaughan, of Lexington, on his second birthday. Guests were relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vaughan, Larry and Phillip, of Lexington, Mrs. Shannon McGary and Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Dove Vaughan, of David, Mrs. Patty Hammonds, Angie, Beth, and Wally Burke, of Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crisp, Tim and Nancy Jo.

Mrs. Betty Fulks is a patient at the Highlands Regional Medical Center. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Goble, of Dwale, left Monday for West Williamson where Mrs. Goble will undergo surgery Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Osborne visited her mother, Mrs. Maggie Parsons, and sister, Barbara, this past week-end.

Mrs. Donald Willis and son, Ronald, were in Lexington on business last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robinson and daughters, Donna Jo and George Libby, of Newark, Ohio, visited Mrs. Maude McGuire, Mrs. Sarah Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Setser and other relatives last week-end. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson and children, who also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Davis, of Dwale.

Miss Patricia Flanery visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Flanery, and grandmother, Mrs. James Flanery, over the week-end.

Mrs. Josie Frazier and Jack had as visitors this week-end her daughters Mrs. David Louder, and Mr. Louder, of Winchester, and Mrs. Gerald Baker, and Mr. Baker, of Ashland.

## McDowell Hospital Notes

**Patients Discharged (March 25 through March 31)**  
Michele Hall, Price; Myrtle Parsley, Wayland; John Williams, Williamsport; Clarence Ratliff, Hall; Raymond Hall, Topmost; Oakie Salts, Drift; Willie Holt, Martin; William S. Johnson, Weeksbury; Roy Howell, Ligon; James Taylor, Wheelwright; Paul Alex Ross, Price; Deanna Newsome, Ligon; Floyd Williams, Estill; Tona Williams, McDowell; Nancy Huff, Topmost; Albert Johnson, Topmost; Gradie Rodriguez, Bypro; Lillian Murphy, Wayland; James C. Hall, Topmost; Martha Ward, Buckingham; Donna J. King, Bevinsville; Dot Tiner, McDowell; Hack Moore, Wayland; Mary E. Bentley, Ligon; Mary L. Mitchell, Streamwood, Illinois; Jesse M. Blair, Kite; Clarence Robinson, Langley; John Kidd, Printer; Dwayne R. Osborne, Topmost.

**BIRTHS**  
A boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Little, of Price, March 31.

Voluntary health services—of which the Easter Seal Society is just one—have made possible in America the most efficient and far-reaching help to those in need of any nation in the world.

## Grant To Help in Ky. Study Of Block Cutting Coal Method

Research continues to play an important role in Kentucky's Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Department's efforts to curtail the environmental impact of surface mining.

The federal Environmental Protection Agency recently announced approval of a \$103,000 grant for the department to determine the feasibility of extracting coal in Eastern Kentucky through a modified block cutting method using on-site sediment control.

Different versions of block cutting—placing rock and dirt disturbed during mining into pits created by previous cuts—are now being tried in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and other Appalachian states.

This study is the first phase of a total \$376,000 project. Before final EPA approval is given for a demonstration project, the feasibility report will detail the work to be done, anticipate major problems and determine solutions in all phases.

During the initial stage the department will survey the block cutting techniques employed in other areas and borrow their successful procedures, hopefully avoiding problems encountered there.

Then a method suited to conditions in the Eastern Kentucky coalfields will be adopted.

In addition to demonstrating the effectiveness of modified block cutting, the department hopes to find better methods of controlling erosion and sedimentation without using silt dams below the mining operation.

Before the first cut is made, a terrace will be constructed to divert water around the working area to avoid run-offs. Water collected will flow into a shallow pond-like outlet before it is allowed to seep into the ground naturally.

Monitoring systems will be placed along the terrace and in the outlet to determine the amount of water and silt collected. If the method proves successful, it may eliminate the need for expensive silt basins now used.

This project will supply not only the technical data needed to apply block cutting methods and site control of sedimentation but also information relating to the expense, time and labor required to strip mine in this manner.

These facts are held necessary to induce coal operators to begin various methods to control spoil placement and reduce landslides and water pollution.

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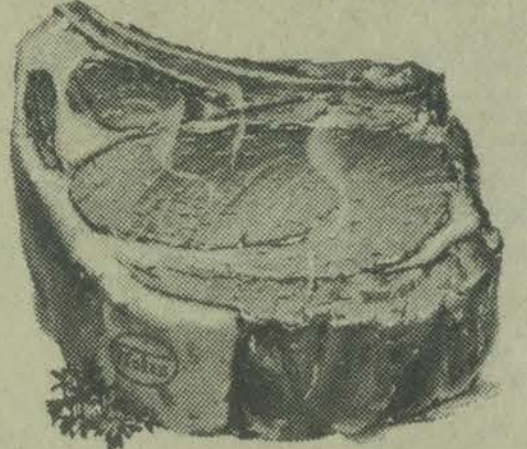


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By virtue of execution issued in CR. NO. 8365, to me directed, which issued from the office of the Clerk of the Floyd Circuit Court, in favor of Thomas Hereford and Inez R. Hereford, partners trading and doing business as Thomas Hereford Company, plaintiffs, against Russell Pelfrey, defendant, I will, on the 22nd day of April, 1974, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the Courthouse door in the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest and best bidder, all the right, title and interest of Russell Pelfrey in and to those certain tracts or parcels of land, together with all improvements thereon, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and described as follows:

(1) All the right, title and interest of the defendant, Russell Pelfrey, in and to the lands owned by Hiram Harris at the time of his death located in Floyd County, Kentucky.

(2) Lot No. 11 of the Gasco Park Addition to Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Said lot fronts on old U. S. 23 and has a front footage of 40 feet. On its lower side it has a depth of 120 feet, on its upper side a depth of 121.8 feet, but for greater certainty the map or plat of said subdivision now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Floyd County Court is referred to and adopted and made a part hereof to the same extent as if it were expressly set out at length herein.

Being the same property conveyed to Russell Pelfrey and Clara C. Pelfrey by Patricia P. Wareham and William Wareham by deed dated August 29, 1962, recorded in Deed Book 180, Page 331, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

I will proceed to sell said land, or so much of it as will be necessary to satisfy said execution and the cost thereof, to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six months from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with approved surety to have the force and effect of a judgment on which execution may issue if the same is not paid at maturity, when and where due attendance will be given by me. The amount to be raised is the sum of \$277.76, together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 percent per annum from September 3, 1971, until paid, as well as the costs of said action amounting to the sum of \$60.75, and, in addition thereto, any costs due the Sheriff of Floyd County for levying and collecting said execution.

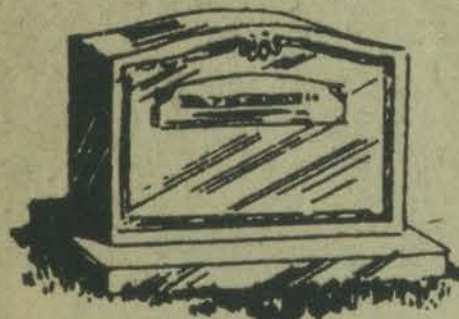
Given under my hand as Sheriff of Floyd County, Kentucky, this the 26th day of March, 1974.

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The tiny ruby-throated hummingbird is a master of the art of camouflage. It first builds a cup-shaped nest about the size of a hulled walnut, expertly weaving it together with spider's silk and lining it with dandelion down. Then the outside is shingled over with tree-lichens and the finished nest is so well camouflaged that it looks even to the sharpest eyes precisely like a lichen growth on a horizontal tree-limb.

This dainty midget of the Bird World has gleaming iridescent plumage, a ruby throat bordered by a white breast and a long, needlelike bill. Its sudden streaking across a lawn is so swift it is hardly discernible to the observer, but the humming sound of its wings tells us the bird is passing by.

Then there's the house wren, which sometimes builds its nest in a hole in a tree. It camouflages the nest with green moss of the same kind growing on the trees. When it builds the nest in a lichen-covered wall, it also conceals it with a layer of lichens.

The ovenbird, so named from the oven-shaped nest it builds on the forest floor, hides the nest with a heap of old brown leaves. It piles these over the entrance, which is on one side of the "oven." Often I have stepped over the ovenbird's nest without seeing it and was startled when the female suddenly darted out and walked away as if injured—a ruse to lure one away from the precious nest.

Ovenbirds have the loudest song of any of the warblers. I have heard the song at a distance of almost a mile on a still day in spring. The bird seems to call loudly and somewhat urgently: "Teacher, teacher, teacher, teach!" with a rising inflection.

The Louisiana water thrush, a warbler common along mountain brooks of our region, builds its nest on a mossy bank, always near running water. It seems to like the sound of brooks singing over the stones; its song is as wild and sweet as the music of a mountain brook and gushes forth in a wild torrent like mountain water rushing down a waterfall. The bird's song is as spontaneous and primitive and wild as the haunts of rhododendron it frequents, hopping along the bed of a brook with incessant wagging of its tail. Its nest is tucked in a crevice of some mossy bank and has a tunnel of leaves leading to it.

The yellow-breasted chat, which country people call "the yaller mockingbird," builds its nest in a dense tangle of briars, about the time the new

leaves begin to hide it from prying eyes. The forbidding thorns and thick brier leaves form a dense cover and adequate protection against predators. This bird is prone to wake up in the wee hours of the night to indulge his musical genius in a series of whistles, beeps, clucks and polyglot phrases which none but his versatile tongue can utter. The chat is the extrovert of the bird kingdom and often indulges in clowning, as it is a bit tipsy on the new wine of spring. It hovers motionless in the air, with legs dangling and feathers falling loosely apart, while he lets go with a ribald series of notes and whistles. The chat is the largest of the warblers and the most un-warblerlike of the family of Wood Warblers.

Camouflage is a prime necessity to survival of most birds. Those birds which make no attempt to hide their nests from predators often have their little ones destroyed by roving cats, snakes and other predators. Some birds with openly exposed nests are victimized by the wily female cowbird. This bird keeps a sharp eye on such a nest and the moment the

mother bird leaves it for some chore, the cowbird quickly flies to it and lays an egg. When the egg is hatched, the baby cowbird, being larger and stronger than the others, demands all the food and care. It soon crowds out the rightful tenants. The yellow warbler is the only bird smart enough to outwit the tricky female cowbird. She refuses to incubate the intruder's egg, but piles over it a new layer of grass and straw. She then proceeds to lay a new batch of eggs.

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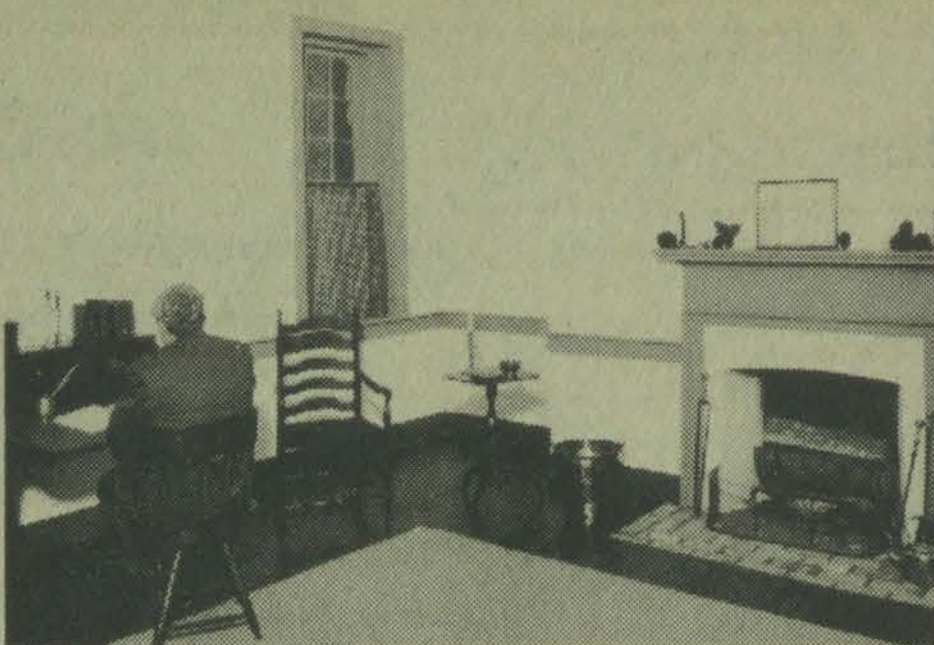
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Special Olympics Warmup Trials

The starting gun for the 1974 Special Olympics sounded in the Big Sandy region last Friday as handicapped children and adults began warm-up trials at Johnson Central High School's athletic field. Trials also will be held Friday, April 5.

The 1974 Special Olympics is being sponsored locally by Mountain Comprehensive Care Center with regional schools and other interested groups participating. The regional Olympics will be held at Morehead State University in the latter part of April. No date has yet been set.

The trials will begin at 10 a.m. each of the two Fridays and the public is invited to be present and witness the extraordinary talents and efforts of those, ages 4 through adults, who are competing in the events of the Special Olympics.



HISTORIC LAW OFFICE--Henry Clay's first Kentucky law office, now restored at 176 North Mill Street in Lexington, will be opened to visitors on March 1. Seated above at the desk, similar to one Henry Clay might have used, is Richard DeCamp, executive director of the Lexington-Fayette County Historic Commission. The one-room brick building stands near Gratz Park, a portion of Lexington's inner city that still includes some of the most historic buildings in Lexington. Hours for visiting the law office will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesdays through Saturdays, and 2 to 5 p.m. Sundays.

Jenny Wiley Council In Business Meeting

A Jenny Wiley Reading Council business meeting was held recently at the Prestonsburg High School library.

The council is composed of reading teachers and interested citizens from five adjacent counties and is an affiliate of the International Reading Association, a professional organization of teachers, parents, administrators, and others interested in the teaching and improvement of reading.

Marie Stumbo, president, announced that the next Jenny Wiley Council workshop will be held at the Paintsville City School, April 9 at 6 p.m. The workshop theme will be the construction of inexpensive supplementary teaching aids. To defray costs, a registration fee of \$2 will be charged.

Ray Brackett, the council's choice for president-elect of the Kentucky State Council of IRA, withdrew his candidacy and the members voted unanimously to support the Blue Grass Council candidate, Dorothy Jones. The annual KSC-IRA election will be held in April. One Jenny Wiley Council member, Mrs. Nadine Hicks, is presently serving as recording secretary for the KSC-IRA.

Plans were discussed for the final 1973-'74 council meeting to be held at the Martin school in May. Selected news media personnel will be honored, the first Jenny Wiley Council scholarship to further the work

in the field of reading will be awarded, the annual Jenny Wiley Council election will be conducted, and a covered dish dinner will be served to council members and guests.

Refreshments were served by the Prestonsburg hostesses.

CARD OF THANKS

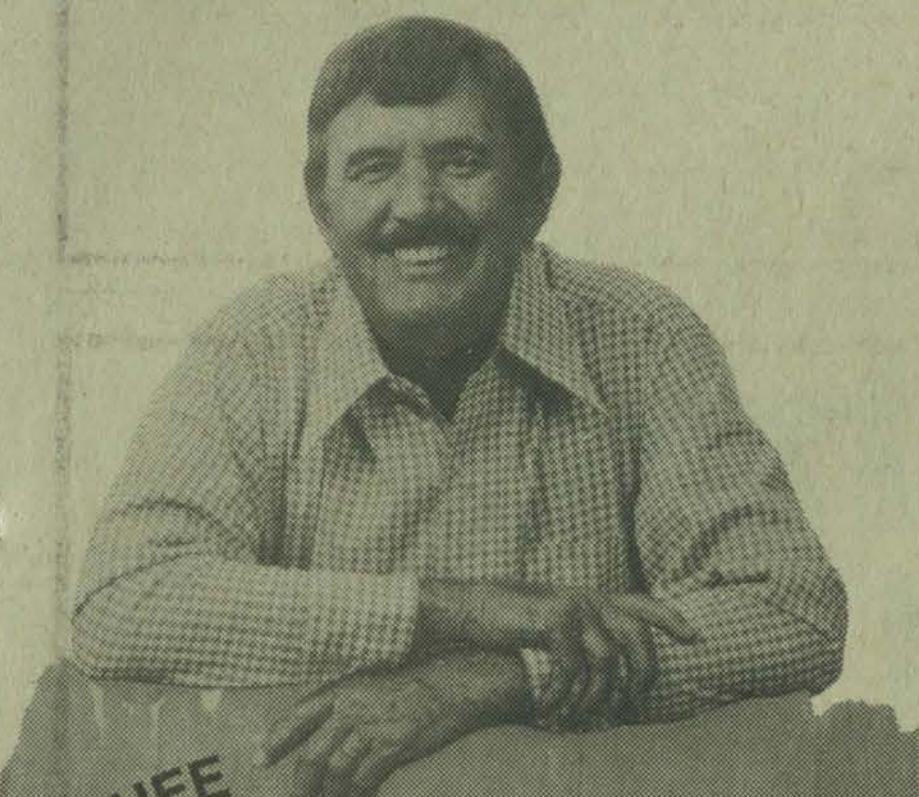
We would like to express our deepest appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their loving acts of kindness shown us upon the passing of our beloved husband and father, Roger Lee Powers. We wish to thank the many churches, especially the Lancer Baptist Church, Rev. Lee Edward Caudill and Rev. Bill Jaggers.

Wife, Pat and Children

Vets' Representative To Be Here, April 18

William H. Queen, contact representative of the Bureau of Veterans Affairs, will be at the Economic Security Office here April 18 to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will be at the office from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Screen and stage star Debbie Reynolds urges everyone to fight cancer with a generous donation to the American Cancer Society. "We want to wipe out cancer in your lifetime," says the petite singer-dancer-actress "and we need your help."



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Visitation Program Presented at Meeting

As one of the community mental health services, the Citizens' Site Visitation Program of the Kentucky Association for Mental Health, in which Floyd County Mental Health and Mental Retardation Association holds a membership, was presented recently to representatives from Regions 10, 11, and 12 at May Lodge.

Combs, Cecil Sturgill and Thurston Taylor, of Prestonsburg, Ann Cundle and Kate Ireland, of Wendover, Lela May Keen and Jean Elam, Hyden, Lorene Kiser, Virginia Wiley and Lois Lewis, of South Shore.

A complementary lunch was provided all members by the Kentucky Association of Mental Health.

Plans were for a citizens' survey of all mental health centers in these three regions were made. This is to recognize the unique strength of each region as well as to inform the KAMH of the overall activities through the state's 15 mental health regions. The president of each regional mental health board is being advised of this study as well as each regional executive director.

The survey will be conducted in April and May.

Those attending were Betty Schmidt, KAMH state chairman; Asher Tullis, Louisville, executive director KAMH; Helen Ashworth, Ashland, Jane

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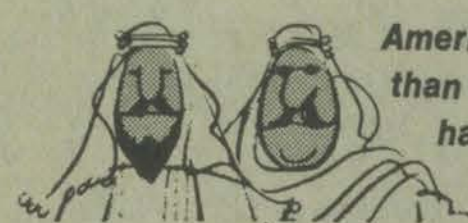
forms of transportation.

- 6. The result will be still more savings of oil and gas, which can then be diverted to more critical uses where there is no suitable substitute.

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Advertisement for Reid's Pharmacy featuring a grid of products on sale during 'Value Days Sale' from April 3-9. Products include LILT, MICRIN-PLUS, GELUSIL, STAY FREE, ADORN, Mennen, SCHICK, FOAMY, MACLEAN'S, SOFT & DRI, DIAL, RINSE AWAY, CLEARASIL, GERITOL, SUPER SOFT PUFFS, FLAIR, SINE-AID, and ST. JOSEPH. The ad concludes with 'REIDS PHARMACY MAIN STREET, MARTIN' and a note: 'WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES AT SALE PRICES'.

# KENTUCKY Legislative Overview



The following is a final summary of major bills passed by the 1974 Kentucky General Assembly.

Major administrative legislation approved by the General Assembly included Gov. Ford's record \$4.4 million budget for the 1974-76 biennium and the reorganization of state government. After undergoing extensive legislative review and lengthy public hearings, both chambers unanimously passed Kentucky's largest executive budget, without

increasing taxes. The spending plan earmarks more than \$264 million for capital construction and provides funds for new and improved educational programs and a raise in teacher's salaries. The reorganization plan for the state's agencies and departments, providing a seven-cabinet system, has been in effect since October 1973, by executive order.

In response to the energy crisis, the General Assembly passed the first research and development bill by a state, allowing Kentucky to participate in coal conversion projects. House Bill 251, initiated by Gov. Ford in his energy message given early in the session, authorizes \$50 million to implement contracts with both the federal government and private enterprise for pilot and demonstration plants. A liquefaction plant in Eastern Kentucky, a gasification plant in the western part of the state and principle research and development facilities in the Central Bluegrass are being planned.

The General Assembly passed House Bill 232, which will revise the Commonwealth's penal code by re-classifying offenses and their penalties, including the restoration of a mandatory death penalty for certain crimes. According to the revised penal code, crimes punishable by death will be murder for profit or hire, murder during the commission of robbery, rape, burglary, arson, or kidnapping; murder of prison employees or policemen while they are performing their duties; murder caused by the use of destructive devices and multiple murders.

The General Assembly voted to put to public vote a constitutional amendment providing for a restructured court system in Kentucky. The amendment calls for the establishment of a Supreme Court, which is presently the Court of Appeals; an intermediate Court of Appeals; and a consolidated system of lower or district courts, which is currently the quarterly, police and magistrate courts. The amendment will be voted on in the November 1975 general election.

House Bill 9, a measure negating the broad-form deed, was passed by the Kentucky General Assembly. The bill will require a strip mining permit application which must be filed with the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, to include a statement of consent from the surface landowner.

In the final hours of the General Assembly, the House and the Senate agreed upon a revised version of the no-fault insurance bill. House Bill 314, effective July of 1975, requires all motorists to carry full bodily injury coverage—either no-fault or standard liability—that will provide up to \$10,000 in injury and work loss benefits. Failure to procure the required insurance would result in \$50 to \$500 fine. HB 314 also mandates a 10 per cent reduction in liability rates the first year for persons who choose the no-fault plan and now carry full bodily injury coverage. Any future increases would be set by the state insurance commissioner.

## Harris Says 37,000 Acres Reclaimed Since Jan. 1, 1973

The secretary of the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, Tom Harris, said at Pikeville recently that 37,000 acres of land have been reclaimed since the beginning of 1973.

Harris told mining engineers and coal operators at the meeting 38,000 acres of mined-out land had been under bond at the beginning of last year. "It is a fact that Kentucky surface miners reclaimed nearly three times as much area in 1973 than was mined, while increasing Kentucky's coal production by about 8 percent," he added.

Speaking at the conclusion of a seminar on the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), Harris told the engineers and operators, "We expect and require preplanning of all aspects of the mining-reclamation effort, and, above all, we will continue to insist on a high level of performance." In conjunction with the NPDES permits, he added, "We in Kentucky are working to revise our water pollution control law so that my department can legally qualify to operate the program and eliminate some of the excess paper work."

The NPDES permits require any industry to use the "best practicable" water pollution control technology by July 1, 1977.

The system is administered by the federal Environmental Protection Agency with an option to allow individual states to issue the permits if the state qualified under preestablished federal guidelines. The guidelines are based on amounts of iron and suspended solids and the acidity or alkalinity of the water discharged into a stream.

Harris warned the engineers, "The results (of strip mining and deep mine discharges) indicate mines in Eastern Kentucky will not meet the suspended solids level and the Western Kentucky mines will have trouble meeting the pH (acidity or alkalinity) requirements even after treatment."

Harris stated he has made efforts to tell EPA officials the program must be workable. If it is not workable, he contended the program would collapse.

According to Secretary Harris, Kentucky has made major strides to prevent black water discharges from mines into the streams with an attitude of "problem

solving rather than to argue about past mistakes."

Of the 926 inspections during a six-month period from July to December, 90.7 percent of the mines were complying with state law. During the last full fiscal year, 88 percent of the 2,416 inspections conducted were in compliance.

The Big Sandy Chapter of the Kentucky Society of Professional Engineers co-sponsored the seminar in conjunction with the Mining Technology and Research Center at Pikeville College, the Institute for Mining and Minerals Research and the University of Kentucky College of Engineering and Office of Continuing Education and Extension.

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Christine Moore Whitaker, . . . Plf.

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Carl D. Whitaker . . . Def.

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Two certain tracts of parcels of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Raccoon Creek of Salt Lick Creek and being the same land conveyed by Melvin Crager and Laura Crager to Carl D. Whitaker and Christine Whitaker by deed dated the 24th day of October, 1970, and recorded in Deed Book 203, page 439 in the records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, and being more particularly described as follows, viz:

#### TRACT 1

Beginning at the fork of Raccoon Creek and Ellis Bradley's line; thence across the Creek with Ellis Bradley's line and up to the point; with same line to Frank Gearheart's line; thence with Frank Gearheart's line to top of point to Tip Martin's line; thence down the point with Tip Martin's line to Joel Martin's line; thence on down the point with Joel Martin's line to the creek where the old county road used to be; thence with the center of Raccoon Creek to the beginning.

#### TRACT 2

Beginning at the fork of Raccoon Creek at the line of Bud Handshoe running with the road and the line of George Castle to the corner of the property line of James C. Prater; thence with the line of James C. Prater to the boundary line of a 20 acre tract of Melvin Crager; thence back to the beginning, containing 2 acres, more or less.

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**Webster Akers**

Webster Akers, 88, well-known former resident of the Mud Creek section, died last Thursday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a long illness. He made his home here with a daughter, Mrs. Abby Gail Shultz.

A son of Wilburn Parsons and Nancy Akers, he was a retired foreman for the State Highway Department, and a member of the Regular Baptist Church. He was married to Ida Hamilton Akers, who preceded him in death.

Survivors include five sons, Marion, Thomas, and Carl Akers, all of Harold, Monroe Akers, of Detroit, Mich., Wilburn Lee Akers, of Betsy Layne; four daughters, Mrs. Shultz, Mrs. Nancy Leedy, of Stanville, Mrs. Liza Jane Kidd, of Pikeville, Mrs. Millie Opal Martin, of Marietta, O.; 30 grandchildren, 47 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Sunday, at the Pilgrim Home Church at Grethel by Regular Baptist ministers. Burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Mrs. Morine Tufts**

Mrs. Morine Tufts, 52, of Wayland, died Sunday at U. K. Medical Center in Lexington after being stricken suddenly.

A native of Fleming, she was a daughter of Mrs. Nettie Toler Dale, of Cincinnati, O., and the late Edgar Dale. Mrs. Tufts and her husband, Curtis Tufts, had owned the Wayland Fountain for 24 years.

Other survivors include three brothers, D. V., Allen, and Geronda Dale, all of Cincinnati, O.; five sisters, Mrs. Gladys Polly, of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Mrs. Ladonna Kincer, of Dayton, O., Mrs. Nell Wright, of Hamilton, O., Mrs. Dillie Thorpe, of Margate, Fla., and Mrs. Sue Roberts, of Cincinnati.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Wednesday, at the Wayland United Methodist Church by the Rev. Floyd Tackett. Burial was made in the Martin cemetery under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Mrs. Artie Marrs**

Mrs. Artie Marrs, 75, died Friday in Jacksonville, Fla. She had resided in Martin until last fall when she moved to Callihan, Fla.

A native of Yeager, Ky., she was born March 4, 1899, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Damron. She was twice married, first to Dave Marrs who preceded her in death in 1965, and later to Baisden Osborne, who is also deceased. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for 50 years.

Survivors include one son, David Marrs, of Callihan, Fla.; three sisters, Mrs. Madge Culbertson, of Lexington, Mrs. John Goff, in Virginia, and another sister, Lizzie, address unknown; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m., Tuesday, at the United Methodist Church in Martin. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**BID NOTICE**

The Floyd County Board of Education will accept sealed bids on a limited quantity of classroom and library furniture until 12 o'clock noon Saturday April 6, 1974.

Bid price will include free delivery to site.

The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any bid offered.

For further details contact Harry J. Wallace at the Superintendent's Office.

CHARLES F. CLARK  
Supt., Floyd County Schools 3-21-31.

**Obituaries**

**Mrs. Dessie E. Meadows**

Mrs. Dessie Edna Meadows, 68, of Manton, died last Thursday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin following an extended illness.

A native of Akron, O., she was a daughter of the late Ed and Lena Devore Manns and was the widow of Ted Meadows who preceded her in death in 1960. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include five sons, James, Cecil, and Clarence Meadows, all of Frankfort, Sgt. Kelly Meadcocks, of Ft. Knox, George Meadows, of Kankakee, Ill.; four daughters, Mrs. Marie Hampton, of Kanakakee, Mrs. Susie Stewart, of Frankfort, Mrs. Lyda Branham, of Martin, Mrs. Rebecca Mitchell, of Printer; one brother, Edgar Manns, of Oak Grove, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Croner and Mrs. Esther Manns, both of Cleveland, O.; 24 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at noon Sunday at the Martin Free Will Baptist Church by the Rev. Lee Music. Burial was made in the May cemetery at Manton under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Roy Brandenburg**

Roy Brandenburg, 69, of Wayland, died Monday at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Born at Tallega, Ky., March 12, 1905, he was a son of the late George and Retta Brandenburg. A retired miner, he had been an ordained deacon of the Martin Branch Free Will Baptist Church for 25 years, a member of the church for 30 years.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Susie Gayheart Brandenburg; two sons, Martin Brandenburg, of Cleveland, O., and Lawrence Brandenburg, of Canton, O.; two daughters, Mrs. Myrtil Crenshaw, of Batesville, Ark., and Miss Jewell Brandenburg, of Cleveland, O.; two brothers, Lee and Cord Brandenburg, both of Lexington, and a sister, Mrs. Ollie Pittman, also of Lexington. Thirteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Thursday, at the Martin Branch Free Will Baptist Church by Rev. Rufus Johnston. Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Mrs. Mary M. Hale**

Mrs. Mary Marsillett Hale, 81, of Blue River, died Saturday at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born September 15, 1893, she was a daughter of Bill and Laura Marsillett and was a member of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church, here.

Surviving her are her husband, James M. Hale, of Blue River; four sons, Linzie Hale, of Prestonsburg, Richard and Orville Hale, both of Blue River, and Willie Hale, of West Prestonsburg; three daughters, Mrs. Pollie Pugh, of Ackerman, Ind., Mrs. Emma Reffitt, of Claypool, Ind., Mrs. Emma Reffitt, of River; one sister, Mrs. Ida Hughes, of Blue River, and a half-sister, Mrs. Bertha Shepherd, of Pyramid. Several grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Tuesday, at the Middle Creek Baptist Church by the Rev. Bill Justice. Burial was made in the Sam Hale cemetery under direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

The U.S. Department of Labor was established by law in 1913.

**Mrs. Sumpter L. Music**

Mrs. Sumpter Lynn Music, 18, of Ashtabula, O., died last Tuesday in St. Luke's Hospital in Cleveland of injuries received in an auto accident which occurred near Ashtabula, March 18.

A former resident of McDowell, she was born June 30, 1955, a daughter of Sumpter Tackett, of Ashtabula, and Mrs. Roberta Newsome Frasure, of McDowell.

Survivors include her husband, Gary W. Music, of Ashtabula, O.; her stepfather, Moses Frasure, of McDowell; two brothers, Gregory and Kenneth Tackett, both of Ashtabula; a halfbrother, Moses Frasure, Jr., of McDowell; two sisters, Mrs. Portia Shislowski and Mrs. Shelby Jean Green, both of Ashtabula.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday, at the Little Rosa Regular Baptist church at East McDowell. Burial was made in the family cemetery there under direction of Hall Brothers Funeral Home.

**Mrs. Letha C. Wilkinson**

Mrs. Letha Clark Wilkinson, 59, widow of H. M. Wilkinson, Jr., Huntington, W. Va., formerly of this county, died March 22 at a Huntington hospital.

Mrs. Wilkinson was a daughter of Elmon Clark, well-known Johns Creek man, and the late Virgie Wells Clark. She was a former teacher and before moving to Huntington she and her husband resided at Wheelwright. Mrs. Wilkinson was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors, in addition to her father, are one son, H. M. Wilkinson, III, Palm Springs, Fla., and two sisters, Mrs. Lois Marshall, of Van Lear, and Mrs. Geneva Harmon, Sarasota, Florida.

Funeral rites were conducted March 25 from the chapel of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville, the Rev. Donald South officiating. Burial was made in the Clark family cemetery, near Dewey Dam.

**Sophia Burke Fairchild**

Sophia Burke Fairchild, 84, Huntington, W. Va., formerly of Paintsville, died March 21 at Cabell-Huntington Hospital, Huntington.

She is survived by two sons, L. B. Fairchild, Prestonsburg, and Paul R. Fairchild, Huntington, W. Va.; five brothers, Everett Burke, Ft. Pierce, Fla., Howard Burke, of Ashland, Green Burke, Delbarton, W. Va., Arch Burke, Frankfort, John Burke, Tampa, Florida; three sisters, Oma Greer, of East Point, Sarah Williams, Paintsville, and Ruth Meeks, West Van Lear. She is also survived by five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church, Paintsville, March 24 at 2 p.m. Ministers were Bill Gilliland, the First Christian Church, Prestonsburg, and Bill Ford, Zebulon Church of Christ, Zebulon, Ky. Special music was furnished by the trio from the Church of God at East Point. Burial was in Woodmere Cemetery, Huntington, W. Va., under direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Massachusetts adopted the first minimum wage act for women and minors in 1912, according to "Important Events in American Labor History," a U.S. Department of Labor publication.

**Heart Attack Fatal To Byron Nunnery**

Byron Nunnery, 62, well-known Prestonsburg business man and former city official, died last Wednesday near Stanton, Powell county, victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Nunnery, who had suffered earlier attacks, was real estate appraiser for Floyd Federal Savings & Loan Association, and he and Frank Harmon, executive vice-president of Floyd Federal, had gone to Stanton to confer with a Dr. Watson, of Lexington, who planned construction of a summer home in that area. The three had driven to the mountaintop site of proposed construction when Mr. Nunnery was stricken. He died about an hour later.

A son of the late Sherman and Rose Clark Nunnery, he was born Aug. 23, 1911. He had served more than 20 years as a member of the City Council here, was a member of the board of directors of Floyd Federal Savings & Loan Association, the First United Methodist Church here, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion. He was a veteran of World War II and had resigned from the City Council, because of ill health, only a few days prior to his passing.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lucille Engleman Nunnery; two sons, Byron Dixon Nunnery, Jr. and Donald C. Nunnery, both of Prestonsburg; three daughters, Mrs. Barbara N. Graves, of Lexington, Misses Mary Elizabeth and Leigh Ann Nunnery, both of Prestonsburg; three sisters, Mrs. Edna Collins, Prestonsburg, Mrs. Mary Gesling, Ashland, and Mrs. Grace Knight, Chesapeake, Va., and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday from the First United Methodist Church here, the pastor, the Rev. Howard Coop, and the Revs. W. D. Jagers and William Poole officiating. Burial in the May cemetery here was directed by the Carter Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Herschell Tackett, Paul C. Combs, Bob Hatfield, Frank Harmon, Richard Harmon, Dr. Edward B. Leslie, William O. Goebel, Jr., Burl Wells Spurlock, G. C. Spradlin, Dr. C. L. Allen, Jack Absher, Clyde Burchett, Tom O. McGuire, James Allen, C. "Ollie" Robinson, Winston Ford, Jr., Robert Deering, Ray Fraley, Astor Meade, Henry Stephens, Dr. H. G. Salisbury, Jack Carter.

**Mrs. Ovalee Rollins**

Mrs. Ovalee Rollins, 65, of Wheelwright, died Friday at Golden Years Rest Home at Lackey after an extended illness.

Born October 6, 1873 in Knott county, she was a daughter of Riley and Phronia Sable Johnson.

Survivors include her husband, Mack Rollins, of Wheelwright; one son, Bobby Rollins, of Cincinnati, O.; two daughters, Mrs. Maxine Sanders, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Linda Sue Cantrell, of Hampton, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Jackson, in California, and Mrs. Laura Stacy, of San Antonio, Texas, and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist Church at Price, Tuesday. Burial was made in the Boyd cemetery there under direction of Merion Funeral Chapel.

**Floyd Native Now a Member Of Famed Kentucky Longrifles**

Sheridan Mayo, a Floyd county native who now resides in Clark county, had never fired a flintlock rifle until eight years ago, and now he is one of the top marksmen with the pioneer weapon and is a member of the renowned Kentucky Longrifles.

A RECC employee who lives on the Big Stoner road in Clark county, Mayo began shooting a muzzle-loader, soon after he moved there in 1965. Last year he qualified for the rifle team which has regularly vanquished marksmen from Pennsylvania and Tennessee.

He is a son of the late Herston Mayo and is a native of the Martin vicinity.

Writes Len Cobb in The Winchester Sun of the Floyd countian:

The Floyd county native became interested in firearms while a child and shot often, but until moving to Clark county all his experience was with modern firearms, not black powder weapons.

The main difference, Mayo says, is the flash from the priming pan that goes up in front of your face, sometimes frightening the novice into a clean miss. Another feature of black powder shooting

is the sometimes hesitation between the time the trigger is squeezed and when the weapon discharges—call a hang-fire.

Mayo's competition weapon currently is a 40 caliber—a rifle he made himself.

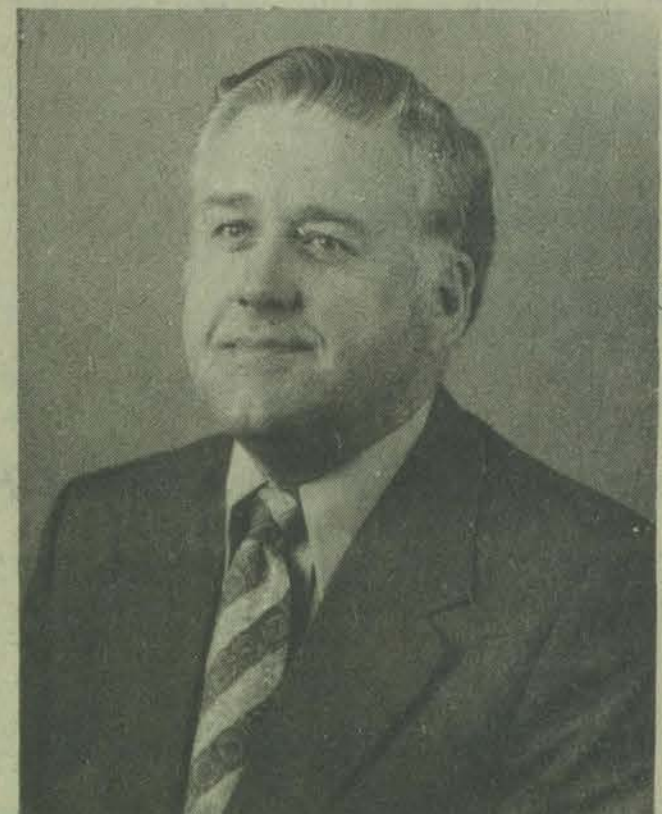
He obtained a 40-inch barrel through a muzzle-loading club that formerly was active here and stocked the piece with a blank of curly maple. The only concession to modern firearms Mayo made on the rifle was the inclusion of a set of adjustable Micro handgun sights for the rear and a Lyman white bead on the front.

The whole idea of a state longrifle team began in 1963 when a group of Pennsylvanians challenged Kentucky over whether the longrifle was to be called the Kentucky—or Pennsylvania—longrifle.

Kentucky won that match and three others in the following year and half before the Pennsylvania team decided that there wasn't much use shooting against the Kentuckians.

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**HEAR TRANSYLVANIA CHOIR**  
Mrs. W. A. Rose and Mrs. Tom Graham Dingus attended the Transylvania choir presentation in Beattyville last Sunday. Miss Marilyn Rose, a student at Transylvania, sang with the group.

**ENJOYED "SPEED QUEEN" TOUR**  
Returning last week from the Athens, Greece tour sponsored by Speed Queen Appliances were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hereford, Johnny Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hall, Mrs. Allene Riffe, Mrs. Peggy Spurlock, Miss Denise Thompson, of Louisville. On tour this week are David and Thomas Hereford, III.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Smith, of Covington, were called here to the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Sherman Taylor who passed away in Lima, O., March 27. Burial was made April 2 in Davidson Memorial Gardens. They visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Hut-siniller, while here.

**ATTENDED POTENTATE'S BALL**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bierman attended the Potentates Ball at El Hasa Temple in Ashland, March 23, honoring Charles W. Roberts, potentate of El Hasa Temple.

**TO MEET APRIL 8**  
The Floyd County Mental Health-Mental Retardation Association will meet at noon Monday at the library on Arnold Avenue.

**SON IS ADOPTED**  
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sammon, of Lexington, announce the adoption of a son, February 14. He has been named Jason Harrington. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Denver Sammons, of Lexington. His paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sammons, Prestonsburg. His maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Bessie Wells, of Prestonsburg.

**SON BORN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds, of Huntsville, Alabama, announce the birth of a son, March 27 at the Regional Hospital in Huntsville. He has been named Jim, III.

# Social Events

**HOMEMAKERS MEET**  
The South Prestonsburg Homemaker's Club held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Otis Bussey, March 25. The devotional "Five Important Minutes" was given by Joyce Allen. Mrs. Jim Derossett gave a timely lesson on "Family Communication." Refreshments were served to the following: Ruby Clifton, Ruth Hall, Becky Derossett, Joyce Freels, Joyce Allen, Theckley Short, Grace Derossett, Frances Pitts and Carlos Haywood.

**HERE FROM MOREHEAD**  
Miss Dallas Fay Sammons and Miss Mary Beth Rankin, students at Morehead State University, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas D. Sammons over the week-end.

**VISITING IN IOWA**  
Mrs. Fred R. Mann and Maribeth Mann are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mann and Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Mann in Wilton Jct., Iowa.

**VACATION IN FLORIDA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woody have been vacationing in Homestead, Fla., visiting the Turners' daughter and Mrs. Woody's brother, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Rowe, and family.

**CLUB TO MEET**  
The Prestonsburg Woman's Club will meet April 4 at the Library at 8 p.m. Mrs. Wm. O. Goebel, chairman, will preside over the style show. Electing officers will follow. All members are urged to attend.

**VISIT IN LEXINGTON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Combs were in Lexington last week spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Proctor and sharing their wedding anniversaries which were only a few days apart.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER**  
Miss Rhonda Keathley, bride-elect of Mr. Kane Hale, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower March 29 at the Baptist educational building at Allen. Early spring flowers decorated the reception room. The refreshment table had an overlay of ecru lace centered with a low arrangement of pink and white carnations, flanked by pink candles in silver candlesticks. Pink punch, decorated cakes and mints were served from the table. Gift tables bore gifts of linens, china, crystal, electrical appliances and miscellaneous items. Hostesses were Mesdames Maurice Mitchell, Raymond Hall, James Conn, Fred Hall, Wm. O. Goebel, Sr., David May, Ted Stumbo, Ethel Frazier, Jackie Crisp, Charles Justice, Betsy Lambert, Ronald Johnson, Day Crisp, Harry Caudill, David Marcum, Bill Woods, Jr., Jerry Kinzer, Gerald Robinette, Garver Shepherd, John M. Stumbo, Jr.

**RETURN FROM MARYLAND**  
Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dotson, of the Abbott road, have returned from College Park, Maryland, where they spent a few days vacation with their son, Dr. Charles O. Dotson, Mrs. Dotson, Dwayne and Chris. They spent a day in Washington, D. C., touring the Capital, the White House and Arlington National Cemetery, and visiting the graves of the Unknown Soldier, President John F. Kennedy and Senator Robert Kennedy.

**ATTEND CONCERT**  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haywood and Brenda Music attended the Concerto Concert by the Eastern Kentucky University Orchestra, Sunday afternoon. Miss Rebecca Haywood was one of the guest soloists, singing an aria from "La Boheme."

**ATTENDS STATE ASSEMBLY**  
Mrs. Sallye L. Clark, president of Blue Grass Chapter, Kentucky Society, Daughters of the American Colonists, returned Sunday from Louisville, where she attended the state assembly at Ramada Inn. Mrs. Roland M. Jones, national president, was the guest-speaker. Representing the Blue Grass Chapter were Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Wilburn Walker, Mrs. Walter P. Coleman, Mrs. Robert L. Klaren, Mrs. Francis Compton, a guest. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Ruth D. Sowards will represent the chapter in Washington, D. C., April 14.

**NEEDS BLOOD**  
Mrs. Betty Layne, wife of George Layne, is in Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin, badly in need of blood. Anyone who can donate blood, call the hospital.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**  
Dr. Edward B. Leslie has returned home from Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, where he was treated for a heart ailment. He is improving.

**78TH ANNUAL CONVENTION**  
The 78th annual state convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington, March 19-20, Miss Laura Dickerson, state regent, presiding. A welcome address was extended by Mayor Foster Pettitt. James J. Shannon, Jr., Richmond, president of the Kentucky Society Sons of the Revolution and Ruy E. Culbertson, president of the Lafayette, Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, extended greetings from their chapters. Mrs. Walter Huey King, candidate for first vice-president general on the state of Mrs. Walter B. Heiser, of Ohio, spoke on "Where to, America." She presented to the John Hunt Morgan House a paper she prepared and some historical date. On Tuesday Mrs. Robert Lacy Jackson, national chairman of the U. S. Bicentennial Committee of D.A.R. from Carlsbad, N. M. gave a talk on the Bicentennial. At the election of officers the following were elected. State regent, Mrs. W. Paul Hale; vice regent, Mrs. Thomas Burchett; Chaplain, Mrs. Roy Chester Nester; recording secretary, Mrs. Tracy Neal; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Leonard Gabbard; treasurer, Mrs. Robert Lee Klaren; historian, Mrs. Samuel Forrest Lindsey; registrar, Mrs. Addison Thompson; librarian, Miss Mary D. Roundtree.

## Shivel-Lapointe Vows Solemnized March 23



Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Shivel, of Prestonsburg, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo, to Chief Master Sergeant Ralph A. Lapointe, of Albuquerque, on Saturday, March 23, at the Central United Methodist Church in Albuquerque. The pastor, Dr. Harry Vanderpool, performed the double-ring ceremony. Miss Shivel had as her only attendant, Miss Jan McAninch, and Mr. Lapointe chose L. H. Shivel for his best man. A private reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the Florentine Room at Villa North. The bride is a graduate of Central Academy of Commercial Art, Cincinnati, Ohio. She received her B. A. degree from Eastern Kentucky State University and her Masters degree from the University of New Mexico. She was a member of The Collegiate Pinnacle of Eastern State University, a member of Kappa Delta Pi, a national honorary society in education, and also, Kappa Pi, a national honorary fraternity in art education. She is presently employed as an art teacher in the Los Lunas Consolidated Schools, Los Lunas, New Mexico.

Mr. Lapointe is the son of Mrs. Alice Lapointe and the late Leo Lapointe, of New Bedford. He is a graduate of the University of Maryland, with 23 years service in the United States Air Force. He is currently assigned as Logistics Planner for Nuclear Field Operations activities at Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Lapointe will reside in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

**ATTENDS SEMINAR**  
Mrs. Eleanor Robinson, administrator, and Mrs. Patsy Evans, activity director of Mountain Manor Nursing Home, attended a seminar at Western Kentucky University, March 20 through March 23. The subject was "Role of the Consultant for Health Care Facilities."

**WESLEYAN CIRCLE MEETS**  
The Wesleyan Circle of the First United Methodist Church met March 26 at the church, with Mrs. John W. Sutherland hostess. The president, Mrs. Fanny Runnells, presided over the devotionals and business session. Mrs. Vera Ford and Mrs. Fred Francis presented the program on the topic, "The Missionary Challenge at Home." Refreshments were enjoyed by Mrs. Fanny Runnells, Shirley Callihan, Vera Ford, Edna Carol Greenwade, Josephine Fields, Ortha Meece, Lack Roberts, May K. Roberts, Marjorie Francis, Virginia Shivel, Margaret Alley, Robert Wallace, Anna Laura Bolous, Anna May Mellon, Wall Hamilton, Alice Harris, Ella Noel C. White, Fanny Sutherland.

**ENTERTAIN AT MAY LODGE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shivel entertained to lunch Sunday at May Lodge Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberts, Mrs. Gladys Morris, Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Willie Mellon.

**GUESTS FOR WEEK-END**  
Miss Ella Noel C. White and Mrs. Sallye L. Clark spent the week-end in Lexington with Mrs. Gladys P. White and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee Meade, returning home Sunday.

**ATTEND FUNERAL**  
Among those who came here to attend the funeral of Henry Gray were:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells, Gayle and Barbara, of Brunswick, Ohio; Mrs. Elmira Dyer, South Webster, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hincham, Davin, W. Va.; Mrs. Sharon Tupin, Maryland; Joe Johnson and Clyde Slack, South Webster, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Freeman, New Boston, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Neville Johnson, Tratwood, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herald, Jr., Mrs. Edith Gray Herald, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. May, all of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Tom King, Bellevue, Ohio; Mrs. Dwaine Godfrey, Lucasville, Ohio; Mrs. Meta Sizemore and Mrs. Tom Patrick, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. James Adams, Paintsville; Jeff B. Wells, and Malinda Conley, Tampa, Fla.; Rev. Harold W. Dorsey, Lexington; Mrs. Clifford Bolling, Billie Jean, McCullough and Robert, of Hazard.

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# In 1974 Little Miss Floyd County Pageant Here



A Cinderella dream will come true for the little girl who this week is selected Little Miss Floyd County, 1974. The Little Miss Floyd County Pageant, sponsored by the Allen Women's Club, is set for Saturday at 7 p.m. in Pike Auditorium, Prestonsburg Community College.

One of the girls pictured above will be crowned to represent Floyd County in the Little Miss Kentucky Pageant. From left, they are:

**SHARON RENEE CURRY**, daughter of Mrs. Gayl Bailey, sponsored by Bailey Mining Co.

**VANESSA BURKE**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Burke, sponsored by WPRT Radio Station.

**MILLIE ANN TACKETT**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Tackett, sponsored by Tackett Furniture.

**ANGELA DAWN STUMBO**, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Ann Stumbo, sponsored by Little Bear Market.

**MARY LYNN PORTER**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Porter, sponsored by Porter Machine and Drill Shop.

**LOLITA LYNN BALDRIDGE**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Baldrige, sponsored by Reid's Pharmacy.

**PAIGE CONLEY**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Conley, sponsored by parents.

**DAWN CHARISE FRAZIER**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Frazier, sponsored by Smith Cable Service.

**MARY ELIZABETH CLICK**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Dingus, sponsored by Amvets Club.

**RENEE' KINZER**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kinzer, sponsored by Kinzer's Grocery.

**DE LENA HALL**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hall, sponsored by Mud Creek Health Project.

**ELIZABETH ANNE HALBERT**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Halbert, sponsored by Maytown Woman's Club.

**AMANDA SUE LESTER**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lester, sponsored by parents.

**KELLY SUE MOORE**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Moore, sponsored by Clean Towel Service.

**NINE YEARS OLD**  
Bobby Lee Hackworth celebrated his ninth birthday at his home on the Auxier road March 26, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Games were played until he opened his gifts, and refreshments were served to Doug Adams, Chris Carter, John McDowell, Lynn Jagers, Donnie Howard, Chris Howard, Michael Ousley, Karen Ousley, Minnie Ousley, Stacy Chaffins, Stewart Chaffins, Stephen Chaffins, Jeffrey Clarke.

**KENTUCKY WELFARE ASSN. TO MEET APRIL 5**  
The Kentucky Welfare Association will have a business meeting and banquet at the Wise Cafe here, April 5. Circuit Judge Hollie Conley will give the address of welcome. John Bland, mental health director, will be the speaker.

**GO TO HAWAII**  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson, Sr. left recently for a vacation in Hawaii, the guests of the W. T. Sistrunk Company.

**AT MT. MANOR**  
New registrants at Mountain Manor Nursing Home last week were Joseph Hicks, of Pyramid, and Milton Smith, Wheelwright.

**HOME FROM FLORIDA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Greene have returned from a three-week visit with their son, Henry C. Greene, and Mrs. Greene in West Palm Beach, Florida.

## Personals

Joe Buchanan, Jr., of Lexington, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan, Sr.

Bill Bailey was in Frankfort several days last week on business.

Mrs. Woodrow Salyers has been confined to her home with an illness this week.

Mrs. Sallye L. Clark is moving this week into the property recently purchased from Mrs. Gladys P. White on Third Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ousley, Wellington, Ohio, were called here by the illness by his brother-in-law, Ernest Crisp. While here they visited her mother, Mrs. Nora Decker. Mr. Crisp's condition is improved.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry F. Mann and Rebecca visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Mann on Thursday and Friday.

**VISITS IN LEXINGTON**  
Mrs. W. B. Garriott visited her niece, Mrs. Emma Louise Hardin, in Lexington last week.

**RETURN FROM HOSPITAL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eugene Music returned last week from New York City where she is receiving special treatment.

**RETURNS HOME**  
Mrs. Edith Herald has returned to her home in Lexington after having been called here by the sudden death of her brother, Henry Gray. She visited relatives and friends while here.

**ABLE TO BE OUT**  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kendrick, who have been confined to their home for two weeks with flu, are able to be out again.

## MAYTOWN NEWS

**HOMEMAKERS MEET**  
The Maytown Homemakers met for their March meeting at the home of Alda Gibson. The devotional was led by Ima Lee Spillman, and a poem, "Doing Something With Your Hands," was read by Sandy Bradley.

Clubmembers voted to donate to the American Red Cross fund. They also decided to visit the Golden Years Rest Home at Lackey, April 7, each member to take cupcakes and the club to provide soft drinks for each patient. This visit is not limited to clubmembers; anyone else wishing to visit may do so, and will be welcome. Time has been set at 2 p.m.

The lesson for March was presented by Frances Pitts on "Family Togetherness." The lesson for April will be on matting and framing pictures, and the meeting will be at the home of Minnie Gayheart, April 11. Refreshments were served to Helen Boyd, Thelma Hicks, Sue Osborne, Ima Lee Spillman, Minnie Gayheart, Caroline Puckett, Patsy Jane Murphy, Sandy Bradley.

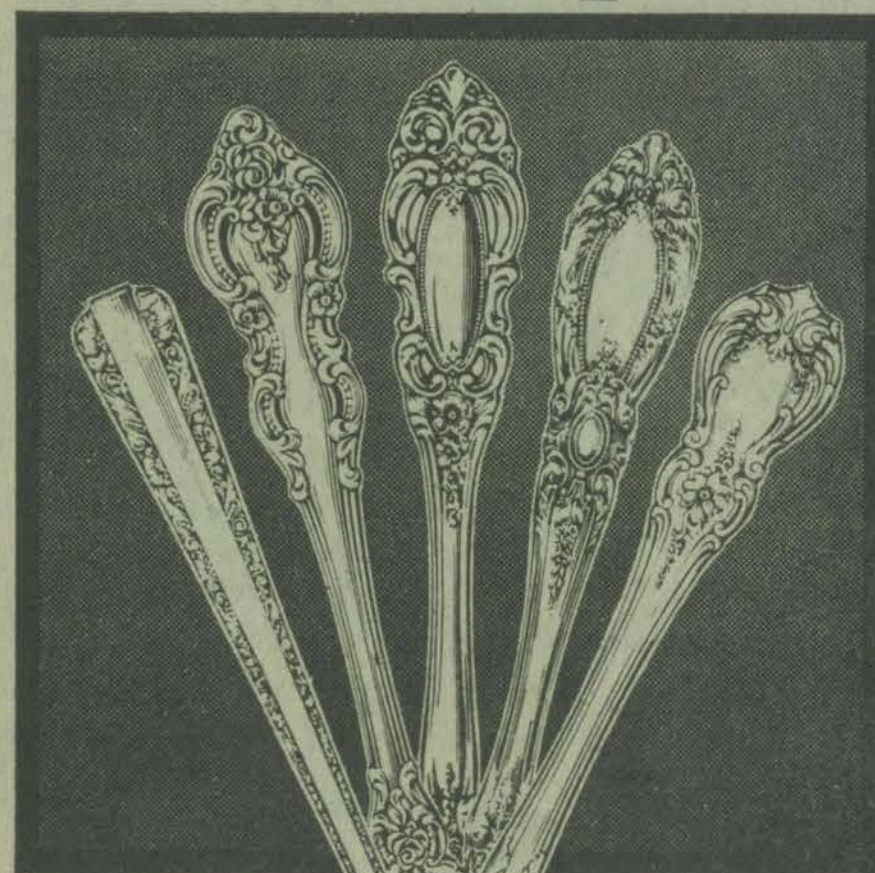
More than 1300 handicapped Kentuckians attended resident camping sessions at Camp Kysoc, in 1973. Easter Seal gifts help the Kentucky Easter Seal Society operate this outstanding camp for crippled children at Carrollton.

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**ATTENTION!**  
The Frank Stevens who was listed in the Floyd Co. Times last week for drunken driving is not the Frank Stephens, son of the late Bill Henry Stephens, and Viola Haywood, of West Prestonsburg. 1t-pd.

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### Three Floyd Mining Operations Among 19 Fined Since January

FRANKFORT, Ky.—Tight enforcement of Kentucky surface mining laws has resulted in a record number of temporary closings and fines across the state since January 1, Thomas O. Harris, secretary of the Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, reports.

Three Floyd county operations were among those drawing fines, he reported.

Harris said suspension orders have been levied against 19 coal operators (17 in Eastern Kentucky and two in Western Kentucky) during the period, and a total of \$39,000 in fines have been collected for violations of state reclamation regulations.

These totals compare with the 35 temporary closing, and \$46,050 in fines collected during all of 1973. (Some \$132,000 in fines have been collected by the division of reclamation for violations since January, 1972—a total which represents more than 75 per cent of the fines collected since enforcement of surface mining regulations began in 1964.)

More than half of the mines ordered closed were cited for mining outside of legally permitted areas, exceeding bench width requirements and-or releasing water which has accumulated in working areas. The mines were ordered closed until the infractions could be corrected and approved by reclamation inspectors. (All of the companies had corrected violations by March 22 and resumed mining.)

Production of surface mined coal appears destined to increase considerably during the year. Harris said mining permit applications, compared with corresponding months in 1973, increased by 66 per cent in January, and 113 per cent in February. Most of the permit applications were made for new mining in Eastern Kentucky.

“Coal prices are at an all-time high now and a few of the operators are becoming overeager,” he said. “They’re getting in a hurry and making mistakes—costly mistakes for them.”

In addition to the suspension notices, Harris levied fines ranging from \$1,500 to \$5,000.

While he noted that the fines amounted to “little more than a drop in the bucket”, Secretary Harris said it is the suspensions of mining operations that “really hurt.”

According to reclamation regulations, a “suspension order does not relieve the

company of the responsibility for keeping backfilling, grading and vegetation current on all disturbed areas of land under permit.”

This means, Harris explained, that an operator cannot strip coal and make money but must continue paying salaries and expenses for current reclamation work while correcting the violation.

“We know coal prices are high and we don’t want to punish operators trying to make that extra money,” Harris said. “But they know the regulations and if they break them, they are wasting their own money. If the infraction warrants a shutdown, they won’t mine. The responsibility is theirs.”

Mines temporarily closed for reclamation violations were:

Southwest Coal Co. in Harlan county. Fined \$1,500 for illegal blasting in unpermitted areas and exceeding bench width.

United Mining Co. in Johnson county. Fined \$1,000 for illegally releasing water from working area.

Cyclone Coal Co. in Ohio county. Fined \$1,000 for strip mining less than 100 feet from a public road.

Triple Elkhorn Coal in Floyd county. Fined \$5,000 for improper spoil placement, exceeding bench widths and failing behind in grading procedures.

Tarheel Coal, Inc. in Perry county. Fined \$1,500 for illegally releasing water from working area.

Shelby Fuel Corp. of Pikeville, was not fined but ordered closed for inadequate silt structure and constructing an unpermitted access road.

Pounding Mill Coal Co. Fined \$1,500 for mining in an unpermitted area.

Joan Coal Co. in Pike county. Fined \$1,500 for exceeding permitted bench width and illegally releasing water from working area.

Island Creek Coal Co. in Martin county. Fined \$1,000 for illegally releasing water from working area.

River Processing, Inc. in Perry county. Fined \$1,000 for illegally releasing water from working area.

Ridgeway Fuel Corp of Lawrence county. Fined \$3,000 for working off permitted areas.

Diamond Coal Co. of Ivel. Fined \$2,500 for exceeding permitted bench width and falling behind in backfilling and grading operations.

Shawnee Mining Company, of Pikeville. Was not fined but closed while repairs on a clogged pipe in a silt dam were accomplished.

Daniels Creek Coal Co., of Betsy Layne. Fined \$1,500 for illegally releasing water from working area and improper placement of spoil material.

Buckhorn-Hazard Coal Co. in Perry county. Fined \$1,000 for illegally releasing water from working area.

McNeil Coal Co. Inc. in Knox county. Fined \$2,000 for failure to construct adequate silt structures.

Paramount Elkhorn Coal Co. in Pike county. Not fined but closed temporarily for mining outside permitted area.

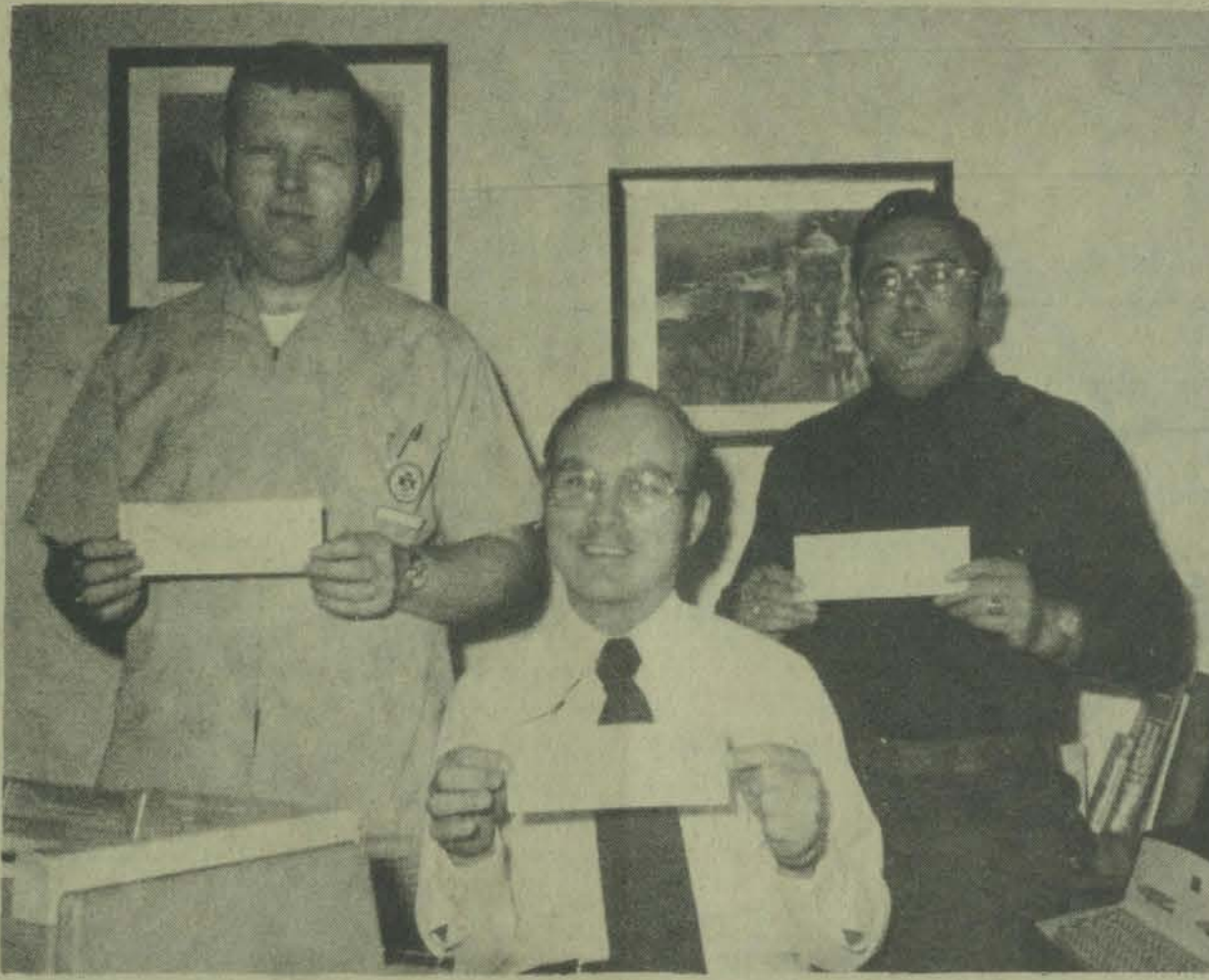
J & D Coal Co. of Harlan. Fined \$1,000 for mining outside permitted area.

Weebro, Inc. of Greenville. Not fined, but closed for not keeping backfilling and grading current.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation to all of our friends, neighbors and relatives who in any way expressed their sympathy upon the passing of our dear one, Howard Goble. We also would thank the ministers, Redwood Hogsten and Douglas Burkett, and a special thanks to the Hall Bros. Funeral Home for its kind and efficient service.  
LANA GOBLE and Children

### Donate Pay to Mini-Park



Three members of the Prestonsburg City Council donate their first quarter checks to be used for equipment for the Prestonsburg Mini-Park in the Goble-Roberts Addition: from left—Harold Cooley, Dr. N. Roger Jurich, Paul Joseph.

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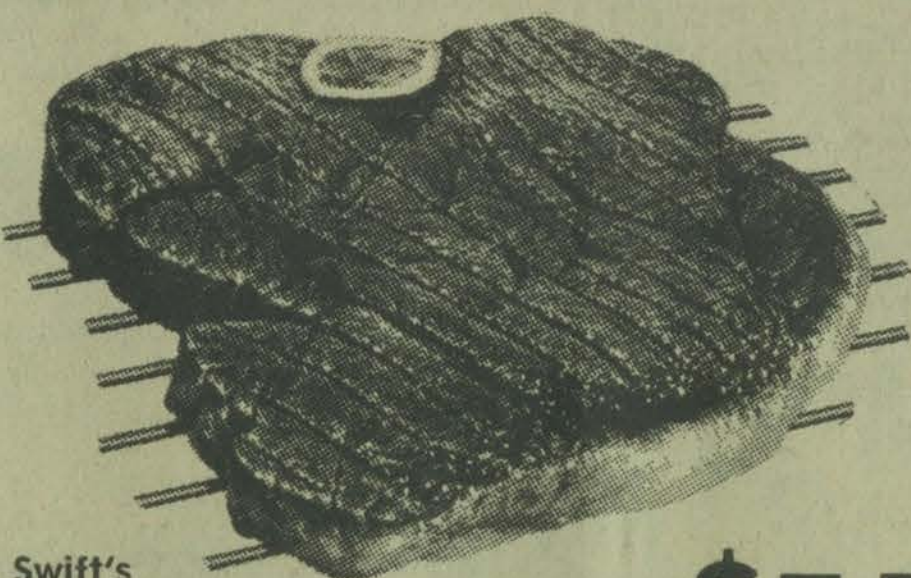


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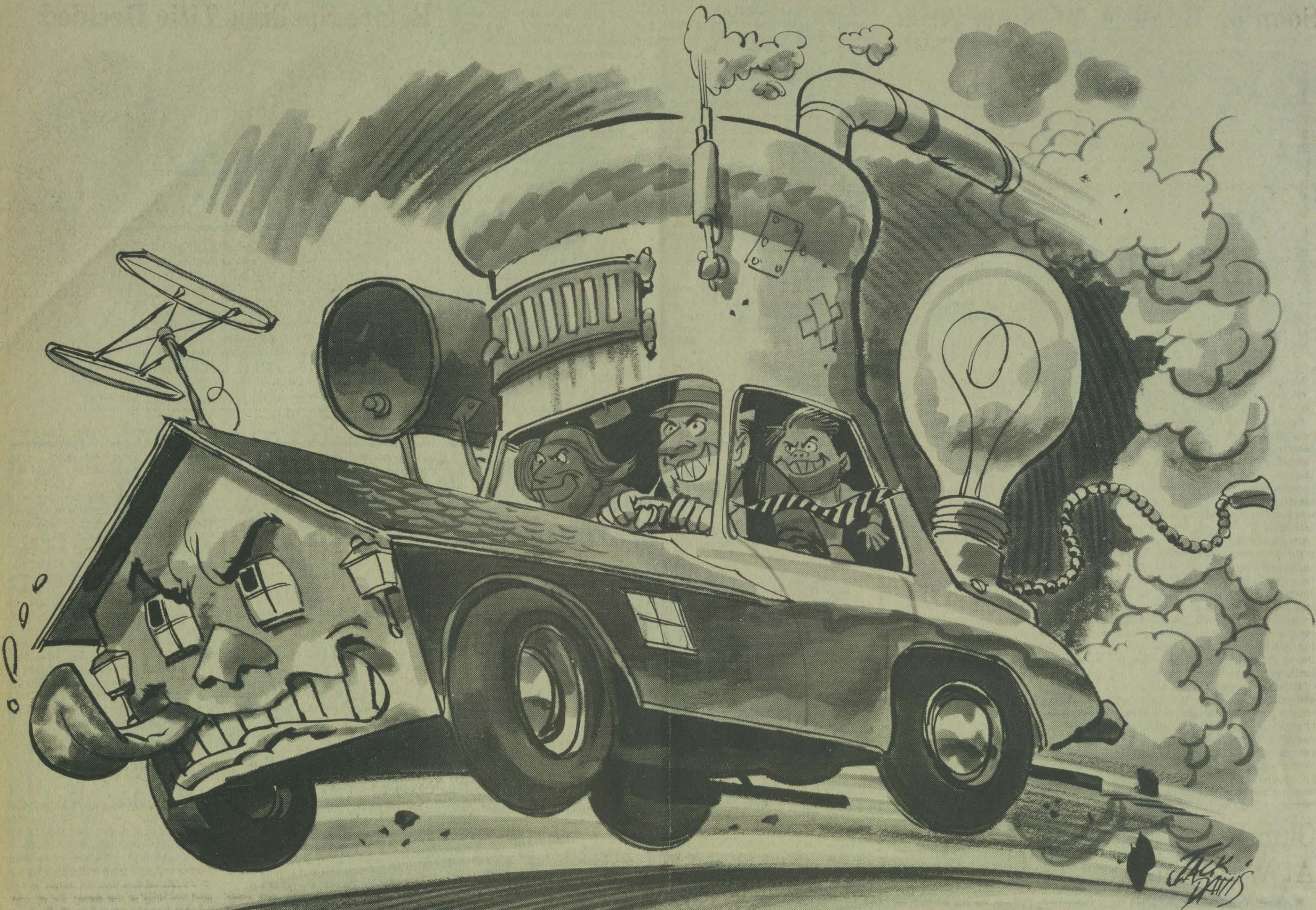
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Here are a few cold facts for you:

First, America is devouring oil faster than she can replace it.

Second, every one of us wastes between 30% and 40% of the energy we consume.

And finally, at the rate we're going, it's only a matter of time before we run out.

That, in a nutshell, is what the energy crisis is all about.

Now we can all sit around and try to figure out how we got into this mess, or we can do something to help get ourselves out of it.

And right now, there's one thing we can do that makes a lot of sense. We've got to change our old habit of wasting energy. And start a new habit of looking for ways to save every bit we can.

It's not going to be easy. But on the other hand, if we don't do the hard thing now, things are going to get a lot harder later.

### MAKE THIS THE WINTER OF 68.

So how can you conserve fuel, and still live in a healthy environment? By cutting down on your personal fuel consumption every chance you get.

One important way to cut down is on the fuel you use to heat your home. By adjusting your home thermostat to the recommended fuel-saving temperatures: No higher than 68 degrees

during the day. And down to 55-60 degrees at night.

You'll not only help save a lot of energy. You'll save about 15% of your fuel bill.

Of course, you might be a little cool occasionally. Particularly when you're inactive. So you'll probably want to keep your favorite sweater handy. You'd be surprised how a light wrap can keep you warm. Just as warm as if you'd upped the thermostat three or four degrees.

### SLOW GOING'S BETTER THAN NO GOING.

The second big way to cut down on your personal use of fuel is to take it easy when you drive.

This means keeping your speed under 55 miles per hour. If you can go any slower, so much the better. Best mileage on your car occurs around 35 mph.

In addition, avoid stop and go driving, and "jackrabbit" starts. They're murder on gas!

Don't idle your engine more than two minutes.

And just plain cut down on driving. Consider starting, or joining, a car pool. And when you use your own car, make trips efficiently. If you can combine daily errands to the supermarket, drugstore, the bank and the cleaners, you'll use a lot less gas in the long run.

And obviously, the less gas we use, the longer the gas will last.

### TURN EM OFF. TURN 'EM ALL OFF!

O. K. So you turn down the thermostat, and you drive a little slower. Any other ways to save fuel?

You'd better believe it!

Lights, appliances, and television sets all eat energy. So turn them all off the minute you're finished with them. And unplug "instant-on" TVs. They use fuel even when they're off.

Ranges, dishwashers, and washing machines consume their share, too. So use them conservatively. Do not pre-heat your oven more than a few minutes, and choose the exact temperature needed. When it comes to washing and drying clothes and dishes, try to run only full loads. And use the shortest drying cycle possible. Don't use these appliances between 4 and 8 p.m.

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